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HANDEL POND.

On Thursday morning, December 24, Handel Pond, a prominent citizen of Winchester, passed away.

He went to business on Tuesday morning, apparently in his usual good health, but was taken ill at his place of business so suddenly as to be forced to remain in Boston in the Hotel Touraine. Medical aid was called in at once. After an afternoon of continuous suffering a consultation was held, with the result that Wednesday morning Dr. Maurice H. Richardson was summoned and an immediate operation was performed at a private hospital. From the results of this Mr. Pond did not rally and he died early Thursday morning.

Handel Pond was born fifty-six years ago in Wrentham, Mass., a locality which had continuously been the residence of his ancestors since 1652. The family removed thence to Beverly in 1865, when he was thirteen years of age. He was the son of Handel Pond and Susan Shepard Pond. Of his brothers and sisters four survive him, Edward Fisher, Katherine Fisher, Preston and Caroline Lincoln.

His father was a musician by profession, and the son inherited and cultivated rare musical ability. In the fall of 1868 he entered the employ of the Mason & Hamlin Organ Company, and continued with them for many years.

In 1869, through the influence of his cousin Henry B. Metcalf, he accepted the position of organist at the Unitarian Church in Winchester, which at that time held its services in Lyceum Hall. The next year he was chosen to occupy a similar position in the First Congregational Church and, his father having died, came with his family to Winchester, where he has since lived. In 1873 he united with the Congregational Church, then under the leadership of the Rev. A. B. Dascomb.

He was married October 30, 1877, to Miss Amelia Ripley Herrick, daughter of the late Moses A. Herrick. His wife survives him, as do three sons, Clarence Handel Pond, who was associated with him in business, Dana Ripley Pond, a portrait painter in New York City, and Shepard Pond now a student at Harvard University.

Mr. Pond was one of the charter members of the Young Men's Club, which later became the Calumet Club. He was for some years a director of the Winchester Savings Bank, and his always heartily cooperated with every movement pertaining to the welfare of Winchester.

In the fall of 1880 Mr. Pond, with W. H. Ivers, G. A. Gibson and J. N. Thompson formed the Ivers & Pond Piano Company, of which he has always been the general manager and for many years the president. Under his direction this company has grown to be one of the largest and most widely known pianoforte manufacturers in the United States. He was one of the first presidents of the National Piano Manufacturer's Association of America, and was at one time president of the Boston Music Trade Association.

Mr. Pond possessed a rare combination of high musical talent and of practical constructive organizing capacity. His simplicity and directness of method secured the implicit confidence of his business associates. His uniform good nature and genial kindliness never failed even in the severe engrossment incident to a rapidly increasing and wide spread establishment. Competitors were as frank in their admiration of him as were his employees and office associates. He won and deserved high standing as a wise and faithful steward of large interests. He was distinctly a home man. Never seeking office, never in the limelight or in type or headlines, he found in his home the needed relaxation from his exacting and busy life. It was a fortunate fireside. Good health, good fortune, favored it. It was abundant in its hospitality, but sufficient in and of itself.

While still a comparatively young and robust man, a familiar figure on horseback on the hills back of the town, he early allowed himself the leisure which his exacting work had earned. He followed his bent for travel and visited in late years every state in the Union, Canada, Mexico, the West Indies, Great Britain, Ireland, and the more frequented parts of the Continent. He readily made acquaintances which developed into friendship, and his loss will be felt by men in many parts of the world.

To his townspeople, among whom he has lived for nearly forty years, his loss is irreparable. With all his kindliness and generosity, he was of the distinctly New England type of character. Conscience was ever above convenience. What was right must be followed at all hazards, and without regard to consequences. He endeared himself to the town as much by his sturdy and sterling qualities as by his genial and frank walk and conversation. Winchester has lost severely in recent months, but none who have been called away will be more deeply and widely missed than Handel Pond.

MRS. FRANK E. ROWE.

Mrs. Nellie Rebecca (Dodge), wife of Mr. Frank E. Rowe of Bacon street, passed away at a private hospital in Boston on Thursday, the 24th inst, where she had gone four days previous to undergo an operation. Her death was a shock to her friends, many of whom were not aware of her critical condition.

Mrs. Rowe was in the 42nd year of her age. She was born in Vineland, N. J., her parents being Solomon and Mary E. Dodge. In her early life her parents moved to Wilmot, N. H., which place she always considered as her home, inasmuch as it held all her childhood friends and recollections. She attended Proctor's Academy in Andover, N. H., and later taught school at Oxford and Wilmot, N. H.

She was married to Mr. Rowe in 1892, coming to Winchester to make her home two years later. Besides her husband a young son and two daughters survive her, as does her father, three sisters and a brother. In this town she was a member of the First Congregational Church and choir, the Mission Union, and an active worker in the Mothers' Association. Her life was devoted to her family and her tastes and pleasures were ever toward domesticity.

The funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 at the First Congregational Church, attended by a large gathering of friends. Rev. D. Augustine Newton, pastor of the church, officiated. The church choir, of twenty voices, for the first time at such a service, sang two hymns and the quartette contributed one selection also.

The interment was in Wildwood Cemetery.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AT SECOND CONG. CHURCH.

At five o'clock in the afternoon, on Christmas Day, 183 people were present at the Second Congregational Church to enjoy the Christmas-tree festivities.

The decorations were said to be the prettiest ever seen in the building.

There were festoons of red and green in abundance. The space behind the desk was filled with a bank of evergreens, and the colored electric lights added a brilliancy to everything.

The large, brightly lighted tree was on the right of the platform with a thick protection of green leading to it, giving Santa Claus a chance to enter unseen at the proper moment. There were a few short speeches and recitations. Mrs. Louis Claflin recited in an admirable manner, and the little ones gave a number of sweet little Christmas recitations and songs.

One of the most admired of the numbers, was a procession of little tots who entered in single file, in white bedgowns, the one leading carrying a lighted candle. They were "Looking for Santa Claus." The lights were turned down, and one strong, shaded electric light was thrown on the little ones, as they tiptoed on to the platform, and down the aisles.

The effect was very pretty. Santa Claus appeared soon, with his jolly speeches, and his distribution of gifts.

All the Sunday School children received gifts and every one present was given a box of candy. The committee are to be congratulated upon the very charming and successful entertainment. Mr. John McLean, Superintendent, and Mrs. Brown, Primary Superintendent, received much praise for their untiring efforts to make the occasion a pleasant one.

MRS. JOHN BRESLIN.

Mrs. Katherine Agnes Breslin, wife of John Breslin, died at her home on Lockwan street on Tuesday after an illness extending over a year. She was 22 years of age, and leaves besides her husband one child, her mother, Mrs. Thomas Shaughnessy, and five brothers all of this town.

Funeral services were held from her mother's home at 8.15, and from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. Fr. Francis E. Rogers officiated.

The bearers were Thomas, William and John Shaughnessy of Winchester, Thomas Francis of Boston, and Joseph Breslin and William Shaughnessy of Woburn.

The burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

The committee on the Parish Supper wishes every member of the congregation to consider himself invited. It is supposed that a postcard has been sent to everyone. If you have not received this notice, it is because of some slip in the mailing. Please consider that you have received it and come, sending word to Mr. Wm. C. Newell.

CHARLES W. BRADSTREET.

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Well Known and Public Spirited Citizen Passes Away.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Charles W. Bradstreet at his home on Sheffield road, came as a shock to his many friends, many of whom did not know that he was seriously ill. He had been in poor health for the past two months, but it was not until the past few days that his condition appeared to be critical. The cause of his death was heart disease. A close acquaintance with Mr. Bradstreet for almost twenty-five years proved him at all times to be one of the most genial and large hearted men in Winchester. He always had a kind and thoughtful word, a cheery greeting and a hearty grip of the hand for all who met him. He was one of the best known and highly esteemed residents of the town. He always took a deep interest in the advancement of Winchester, and gave freely of his time and advice in the town's business.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the Church of the Epiphany conducted by the Rev. John W. Suter, and were very impressive. Selections were sung by the Church choir. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends including many former business associates, town officials, and representatives from the different Masonic organizations with which Mr. Bradstreet was connected. The display of floral tributes was profuse and beautiful. The bearers were Lewis Parkhurst, Geo. A. Fernald, P. G. Gray, Anthony Kelley, T. B. Cotter, Robert P. Smith, Stephen W. Reynolds of Brookline, Geo. E. Brock of Brighton, president of Home Savings Bank.

The interment was in the family lot in Wildwood.

Mr. Bradstreet was a native of Newburyport, where he was born June 9, 1833, his parents being Charles and Sarah A. (Noyes) Bradstreet. His paternal grandfather was William Bradstreet, of Gloucester, a shipbuilder, and his maternal grandfather, Samuel Noyes, of Newburyport, also a shipbuilder. He was educated in the public schools of that city and began business life there, being first employed by C. W. Davenport dry goods merchant, in 1849, when a lad of sixteen. In September, 1850, he came to Boston with E. T. Hardy and opened a dry goods store on Hanover street, where he remained till May, 1851, when he entered the employ of Sargent, Gunnison & Co., carriage builders, at 14 Sudbury street, Boston. In January, 1862, Mr. Bradstreet formed a copartnership with the late William P. Sargent, which succeeded Sargent, Gunnison & Co., and which continued for nearly a quarter of a century. Then in July, 1885, Mr. Sargent retiring, and being succeeded by the Ferd F. French Co., he continued with that company, subsequently becoming its manager. In 1887, after a successful business career, Mr. Bradstreet retired from active business, he being one of the most widely known men, in the carriage trade. He had lived in Winchester for 25 years. Mr. Bradstreet had been a vice-president of the Home Savings Bank of Boston for over 25 years, and a charter stockholder in the International Trust Company of Boston, was a member of Joseph Warren Lodge of Masons, St. Andrews Chapter and of De Molay Commandery of Knights Templar, Boston. He had been a member of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners for ten years, and served with credit on the Board of Selectmen, being elected in 1901, and filled the office of Chairman. For 15 years he had been a warden of the Church of the Epiphany, also served as vestryman, and was active in church work. Also he was chairman of Building Committee of the present church. In all these organizations, he was loved, esteemed and respected.

Mr. Bradstreet was married March 6, 1868, to Miss Alprusia A. Walker, daughter of Benjamin P. Walker of Claremont, N. H., who survives him, also a son, Harry R. Bradstreet.

As a mark of respect to the memory of Mr. Bradstreet, the Board of Selectmen ordered the flag on the Common to be placed at half-staff Wednesday, the day of the funeral.

VESPER SERVICE.

On Sunday at 4.30 P. M., a vesper service from Handel's Messiah will be rendered by a choir of thirty voices at the First Congregational Church, under the direction of Mr. C. W. Swaine, Miss Jessie P. Marshall, organist.

In addition to Miss Mary C. Ogilvie soprano, Miss Mae A. Young, contralto, and Dr. J. Churchill Hindes, bass, the assisting soloists will be Mrs. Blanche Kilduff, soprano and Mr. John E. Daniels, tenor, both soloists of the Harvard Congregational church, Brookline.

A full printed program has been prepared, that all may follow intelligently the selections from this great oratorio. The public is most cordially invited to attend. Doors open at 4 P. M. Below is the order of the musical selections.

Organ Prelude.
Recit. Comfort Ye, My People
Air. Every Valley Shall be Exalted
Cho. And the Glory of the Lord
Recit. Thus Saith the Lord
Air. But who may abide the day of His coming
Recit. Air and Chorus—O Thou that tellest
Recit. There were shepherds abiding in the field.
Recit. And lo! the angel of the Lord came upon them.
Recit. And the angel said unto them.
Recit. And suddenly there was with the angel.
Cho. Glory to God.
Air. Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion.
Pastoral Symphony.
Recit. Then shall the eyes of the blind be opened.
Air. He shall feed His flock.
Air. Come unto Him.
Recit. Thy rebuke hath broken His heart.
Arioso. Behold, and see if thou any sorrow.
Recit. He was cut off out of the land of the living.
Air. But Thou didst not leave His soul in hell.
Cho. Lift up your heads, O ye gates.
Air. I know that my Redeemer liveth.
Cho. Hallelujah.
Organ Postlude.

STRICKEN ITALY.

MASSACHUSETTS ITALIAN RELIEF FUND

December 30, 1908

Chairman, Board of Selectmen,
Winchester, Mass.

Dear Sir:

The Executive Committee of the Massachusetts Italian Relief Fund Committee, appointed by the Governor, asks you to secure the help of the citizens of your town by issuing an appeal and appointing a local treasurer to receive and forward funds to the state treasurers, and to take such steps as may be necessary to secure the help of your town in raising funds to relieve the suffering in Italy caused by the appalling calamity of yesterday.

Respectfully yours,
James J. Storrow, Chairman.

Town Clerk, George H. Carter, has consented to act as treasurer, and will receive all funds contributed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Tuttle of Camden, N. J., were in town over the holidays visiting friends.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE SITUATION.

EDITOR of THE STAR:

I write to second your nominations for the School Committee. They seem to me to be excellent nominations. I write also to endorse all you say as to the recent excellent work which has been done by the School Committee. Much might be added to the commendation which you express.

But my special object in addressing you is to discuss the present situation and more specifically the present condition of our schools. My experience does not apparently coincide with yours, for the impression which I get is not one of satisfaction.

You say that "It is generally conceded that our schools now rank among the very best in Middlesex County."

I am in the way of hearing many comments, and the comments which I hear do not seem to bear out your contention. Questions like the following are frequently uttered in my hearing: "What is the matter with our schools?" "Why is it that we are not able to retain good teachers?" "What is the reason that there is no school spirit in our High School?" "How are we to account for the absence of local pride in that institution?" "Why are the boys and girls of this town, of High School age, being increasingly sent away to other schools?" "What is the reason for so many failures to pass college examinations on the part of recent graduates from our High School?" "Why is the standard of scholarship in our schools so low?"

Not only do I hear questions of this sort constantly propounded; but I hear also, from time to time, assertions like the following: "Parents in Winchester are showing lack of confidence in the schools." "Teachers are leaving Winchester, not merely for the sake of higher salaries, but because of dissatisfaction with Winchester standards." "Teachers of the best quality are showing restiveness under petty restraints." "We have fine High School and Grammar School buildings, but the educational work done inside of them does not correspond with their architectural excellence." "Laxity is enfeebling our High School both in the matter of scholarly standards and in the matter of general discipline." "In the Grammar grades there is too much emphasis upon a systemetic curriculum and too little emphasis upon educational ideals." "There is more interest in perfecting a system by which all teachers of the same grade shall be teaching the same subject out of the same book at the same hour than determination to see to it that the pupils are thoroughly grounded in the subjects which they are being taught."

Now these questions and these statements may be, all of them, beside the mark and show ignorance of the real situation; but the questions are being asked and the statements made. If there is any truth in them, it would appear that our educational system is being ground between the upper and nether mill stones of an inexcusable laxity on the one side and of an unprofitable martinet system on the other. The matter is one of vital consequence to the community. Perhaps the worst that could happen to us would be to be living educationally in a Fool's Paradise. The schools of this suburb ought to be among the best in greater Boston; but for us to boast that they are among the best does not make them so. The community ought to understand clearly, if it can in any way reach such an understanding, what the real condition of the schools is.

And the men whom we are to elect to the School Committee ought to know whether the task before them is, as you suggest, merely to maintain the schools at the present well-nigh perfect standard which they have reached, or whether, on the other hand, it is the much more difficult and also vastly more important task of reform.

JOHN W. SUTER.

December 29, 1908.

JAMES E. FOLEY.

James E. Foley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Foley of Hill street, died on Wednesday at his father's residence after a short illness, although in failing health for the past year. He was 30 years of age, and leaves besides his wife, two children and parents, four brothers and five sisters; Dennis F., the well known lettercarrier; J. Joseph, a prominent lawyer of Cambridge; William H., of Wakefield, Fred C., of Beverly, George, Margaret, Mary, Katherine, Anna and Rhoda. Mr. Foley resided in Beverly, where he was an inspector for the United Shoe Machinery Co. He had come to Winchester to spend the holidays with his parents.

Funeral services were held this morning at nine o'clock from St. Mary's church with high mass of requiem. The burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

FRANK H. BOWLES.

Mr. Frank H. Bowles of Norwood street passed away very suddenly at his home on Wednesday afternoon. He was in the best of health up to the beginning of the week, and although ill at the time of his death, his case was not considered serious by his friends, to whom the news came as a great shock. Since Mr. Bowles came to Winchester with his family four years ago, taking up his residence in the house erected by him, he had made many friends among the towns people, to all of whom his death came as a great sorrow.

Frank Herbert Bowles of F. H. Bowles & Co., produce merchants, Boston, was born in Webster, Androscoggin county, Maine, October 7, 1856, son of William P. and Charlotte R. (Haskell) Bowles. His early education was received at the "Little Blue" School for Boys in Farmington and the High School in Lewiston, Maine, and following his school attendance he worked for three years in the shoe manufactory of Gay, Dingley & Co., Auburn, Me., For the next three and a half years he was with D. P. Dority & Co., produce commission merchants, Boston, as bookkeeper and salesman.

At the age of 21 he commenced the butter, Cheese and egg business on his own account, with a cash capital of forty-nine dollars and with no outside assistance. His first start was made in selling at wholesale from a team, and from this small beginning was developed the present extensive business of his firm.

Every year's business since the start has shown a material increase over the previous year, even during the general business depression of the past two years, and their trade now amounts to over half a million dollars yearly.

Mr. Bowles was president and director of the firm which bears his name, was a member and served as director of the Boston Produce Exchange, Boston Chamber of Commerce and Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange and was president and director of the Quincy Market Storage Co. He was also a director of the Boston Fire Notification and police Association and was for a time a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

He was a member of various fraternal societies, including Columbia Lodge of Masons, Boston Commandery Knights Templars, Massachusetts Lodge of Odd Fellows, and Chickering Lodge Knights of Honor. He was a member of the Boston Athletic Association and a former director of the Roxbury Club. In Winchester he was a member of the Calumet and Country Clubs. In politics he was always a Republican.

Mr. Bowles leaves a widow and one daughter.

Funeral services will be held from the Church of the Epiphany this Friday afternoon at 2.30, conducted by Rev. John Wallace Suter, rector of the church. The burial will be at Mt. Auburn.

SI HOPKINS BARN DANCE.

The barn dance given by Si Hopkins at the Calumet Club on Tuesday evening in observance of the regular ladies' night for this month was unquestionably one of the most enjoyable and entertaining affairs yet given at the Club. The attendance was a record breaker for a ladies' night, and cider, apples, doughnuts and fun were free to all.

The decorations in the dance hall were both complete and unique and it needed no stretch of the imagination to compare it to the big barn of the thrifty Si Hopkins. Mows of hay extended along all four sides, harnesses and rakes, plows and cornstalks, lanterns, chains, and other articles incident to the New England barn were grouped about or hung from pegs on the walls while one whole corner was occupied by a real hay pile of large proportions.

The majority of those attending wore farmer's costumes with wigs and top boots and some of the make-ups were excellent. The fun lasted until nearly midnight, and many of the guests were loth to depart after the last dance, notwithstanding the fact that by the many encores the dancing was almost uninterrupted throughout the evening. The evening has been stated by many to be the best of a like nature ever held at the club.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENTION.

The Calumet Club will on Saturday night, Feb. 20, present the comic opera "The Isle of Bamboo." The title of the opera offers a splendid opportunity for some unique work.

The four best posters will receive prizes, conditions of contest in window of Parker & Lane Co. office.

PUBLIC LIBRARY BULLETIN.

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TRAVEL.

Campbell, W. S. The passer-by in London. 1845.7

This volume is devoted to points of interest to the sight-seer in London. The fullest portion of the book is that offering information about Wren's city churches. For its carefully compiled contents, the book may be recommended. It will be useful to tourists.

Cunard Steamship Co. Cunard souvenir, guide to Europe. Gift. 1835.2

Rowland, Henry C. Across Europe in a motor boat. 1836.34

This is a record of the adventures of the motor boat Beaver on a voyage over "a long wet trail" across Europe by way of the Seine, the Rhine, the Danube and the Black sea. In spite of the fact that the jaunt required a deal of preparation and experimenting, and that it ended in a wreck does not lessen the satisfaction of the achievement.

Thoreau, Henry David. Cape Cod. New il. ed. 1871.50

Trevor, Roy. En route, a descriptive automobile tour through nine countries and over nineteen great passes of Europe. 1836.38

Van Dyke, Henry. Out-of doors in the Holy Land. 1831.9

"It is a vivid realization to the imagination not only of the landscape, but also of the atmosphere and sentiment of a country of unsurpassed interest."

Waddington, Mary A. King. Chateau and country life in France. 1846.3

An intimate account of life in the French chateaux written by one "who knows her subject thoroughly well, for a good portion of her life has been spent in rural France amid the scenes and among the people she writes about so charmingly."

Whidden, John D. Ocean life in the old sailing ship days, from forecastle to quarter-deck. 1811.46

Old-time sailing ships, the incidents connected with them, the captains who commanded them and the departed glamour and romance of the sea are the items for this autobiographic narrative.

EDUCATION.

Eliot. Charles W. University administration. 1713.11

Never has the inclusiveness, the thoroughness, the comprehension of the man been so clearly revealed as in this book. A compendium of practical wisdom, a deposit of both technical advice and professional ideals.

Ewart, Joseph A. and others. A civil service manual. 3v. 1714.8a

Coolidge, Archibald C. The United States as a world power. 1617.4

It is a controversial study of the part which the United States plays in the great drama of world politics. The author discusses Formation and growth, Nationality and immigration, Race questions, The Monroe doctrine, The Spanish war, The acquisition of colonies, The Philippine question, and the United States in relation to France, Germany, Russia, England, Canada, Latin America, China and Japan, The Isthmain canal, and The United States in the Pacific.

Taft, William Howard. Present day problems. 1617.7

"Characterized by the traits which have made Mr. Taft the power that he is in America today—a warm and intelligent sympathy with his fellow-men; . . . a judical spirit . . . a higher regard for substance than form; . . . a delight in achievement; and an almost ingenuous trust in the intelligence and good sense of the people, whether they be those whose government he is helping to administer or those whose attention, as an audience, he is undertaking to engage."

ESSAYS AND POETRY.

Benson, Arthur Christopher. At large. 1314.33

"His logic is as keen, his irony as delicate as ever; the flowing cadences of his style woo us like quiet music."

Drummond, William Henry. The great fight: poems and sketches. 1418.41

A volume which brings together the poems and sketches which remained unpublished at the time of Drummond's death. Some are connected with his life at Kerr Lake, in the Cobalt district, where he died; some are in dialect, and deal with the French-Canadian life; and still others relate to his own people, the Irish. Mrs. Drummond has contributed a biographical sketch including facts of his life and comment upon his poems.

Galsworthy, John. A commentary. 1331.1

"Mr. Galsworthy's animating motive, a desire to puncture the thoughtless complacency of the comfortable classes, has produced in this volume of organically related sketches a work of original distinction."

Martin, Edward Sanford. In a new century. 1336.13a

Omar Khayyám. Rubaiyát of Omar Khayyám in English, by Edward Fitzgerald. 1424.8

Repplier, Agnes. A happy half-century, and other essays. 1341.43a

"She is the greatest living master of good-natured satire, if indeed she has ever been surpassed in it."

Wendell, Barrett. The privileged classes. 1346.8

"In the four essays that make up this volume Professor Wendell discusses the deeper problems of higher education in their relation to present-day American life."

FINE ARTS.

Addison, Mrs. Julia De Wolf. Arts and crafts in the middle ages. 1017.3

Examines mediaeval artistic crafts for the original processes which are being restored in the great handicraft revival in America to-day. Fully illustrated, the chapters touch upon gold and silver work, jewelry and precious stones, enamel, tapestry, embroideries, sculpture in stone, carving in wood and ivory, inlay and mosaic, illumination of books.

Caffin, Charles Henry. A child's guide to pictures. 1013.49a

A book whose sole aim is to help young people find expression in words for the feeling of beauty which pictures inspire in them, and to put some idea into the reader's head that will lead him to find more and more beauty in pictures, in nature, and in life. "Especially valuable for teachers and others who work with children."

Cross, Anson K. Mechanical drawing. A manual for teachers and students. 1016.19

Singleton, Esther. The standard galleries of Holland. 1014.43

RAILROADS.

Fagan, James O. Confessions of a railroad signalman. 913.14

"Mr. Fagan, in his present book, forcefully discusses, with more than ordinary intelligence, some of the problems in American railroading." + Ind.

"His book certainly deserves the attention of railroad men of all kinds."

WHALING.

Spears, John R. The story of the New England whalers. 925.20

In popular form Mr. Spears, the recognized authority on the American navy, tells the story of the whaling industry from its merest beginnings in the middle of the seventeenth century on through the period of its greatest commercial success in the middle of the nineteenth century to the present days of decline.

SCIENCE.

LeBon, Gustave. The evolution of forces. 715.1a

King, Charles F. Advanced geography. Gift. 722.46

Makower, Walter. The radioactive substances. 715.4a

Maury, Matthew F. New complete geography. Gift. 722.48

Morton, Eliza H. Morton's advanced geography. 722.49

Sharp, Dallas Lore. The lay of the land. 734.34a

"He is a born naturalist, a true lover of nature, and has the art which is not easily acquired—the art of Thoreau, of John Burroughs, of Gilbert White, of Selborne—of making interest where we poor, sightless creatures make a dead loss of our time."

Tyler, John M. Man in the light of evolution. 731.16

From a biologist's point of view, yet intended or lay readers, this study is concerned with the light that evolution throws upon the problems of man's moral, religious, social and family progress.

BIOGRAPHY.

Aldrich. Greenslet, Ferris. The life of Thomas Bailey Aldrich. 632.3

"No more fitting choice could have been made for biographer of Aldrich than Ferris Greenslet. He brings to his subject all needful sympathy and comprehension. He writes of the 'singularly fortunate life' of Aldrich with the spirit of one who knew that estimable man of letters well in his later years and understood his nature."

Andrews, Eliza F. The war-time journal of a Georgia girl. 632.21

A spirited diary extending thru the year and a half that followed December of 1864 and covering the last days of the war and the beginning of the reconstruction era.

Boyle, Mary. Her book. Edited by Sir Courtney Boyle, K. C. B. 636.14

Draper, William F. Recollections of a varied career. 648.22

Personal reminiscences whose range is suggested in the following excerpt: "My public experience,—as a soldier in time of war, a member of Congress while great questions were under consideration, and a diplomat, also in war time,—would be hard to equal in variety; and my private life covers invention in important lines, and a business career, commencing as an employee and closing as the head of a large industrial establishment, perhaps the largest in Massachusetts that is owned by its managers."

Eddy. O'Brien, Sibyl W. The life of Mary Baker Eddy. 651.3

Lee. Page, Thomas Nelson. Robert E. Lee, the southerner. 672.9a

Lincoln. Gerry, Margarita S. The toy shop. 672.45

A child's lisped request for tin soldiers sent Lincoln, burdened with the nation's troubles, one day to a toy shop. While selecting them, and marshaling them quite unconsciously into drilling order, and listening to the French shop-keeper's eulogies of Napoleon's methods of warfare, the inspiration comes to Lincoln to put Grant at the head of the Union army. It is with this incident that the little volume deals.

Ralegh. De Sélincourt, Hugh. Great Ralegh. 687.2

Sanders, Lloyd Charles. The Holland House circle. 615.14

Devoted to the period between 1799 and 1840 when "there was hardly in England a distinguished man in politics, science and literature, who had not been a guest in the Holland house." A description of the house itself is followed by a sketch of its early history, founders and leading lights; then by "brief chapters on the circle of statesmen, wits, men of letters and science, foreign diplomats and exiles who gave to Holland house a unique place in English history." (Nation.)

Scott. Smith, F. Hopkinson. Captain Thomas A. Scott, master diver, one who was not afraid and who spoke the truth. 691.22

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Scott. Lockhart, John G. Memoirs of Sir Walter Scott. 5v. 691.15a

Sons of the puritans, by various authors. 624.10

Here are sketched the careers of eleven men, all serving the public welfare, each of whom owed his success to "a certain moral idealism which is a part of the Puritan inheritance." The group includes George F. Hoar, Morrill Wyman, Horace Gray, Charles F. Dunbar, Phillips Brooks, Francis C. Barlow, Henry S. Russell, Roger Woolcott, William E. Russell, Charles Eliot, and William H. Baldwin.

Wenckebach. Muller, Margarethe. Carla Wenckebach, pioneer. 6105.11

An intimate sketch of "a very unusual, very vital human being" who, born and educated in Germany, became a wanderer, living in six countries and having a variety of bread-winning experiences, and finally finding her place as professor at Wellesley, where she remained until her death. The invincible spirit of hard work characterized her life which is portrayed by her friend and successor.

HISTORY.

Anderson, Galusha. The story of a border city during the civil war. 376.3

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

All had a jolly good time at the Christmas Tree on Christmas Eve. The scheme to teach the children to give was carried out in every particular. There was no money spent for decorations, but that amount was sent to the poor. The children brought cast off games, clothing and food was also brought to be sent to those who were needy. The program which was in charge of Superintendent Finnimore, assisted by Mr. H. Hovey, and Miss Ethel Clay, was as follows:

Prayer — Pastor
Piano and Mandolin Duet — Alfred and Harold Dover
Song — By School
Selection — Mrs. Robie
Dialogue — The Christmas Spirit
Lillian Neilson, Alta Hartley
Abbie Nielson, Beatrice Fitz Allen
Harrold Dover, Evelyn Finnimore
Solo — Elizabeth Mason
Musical Section — Miss Mina Hartley
Christmas Stories — Pastor and Supt.
Christmas Tree
Singing — By School
Musical Selection — Marion Mobbs
Musical Selection — Edith Hatch

On New Year's Eve, the Epworth League will give a birthday party. All are cordially invited, and the admission will be as many pennies as you are years old. They are in hopes that lots of very old folks will attend. At eleven o'clock the Pastor will take charge, and will hold a watch night service. These are rare now-a-days, but those who like to uphold the old customs of the fathers, will be glad of the opportunity to attend. Mr. Chaffee thinks it is necessary to be much in prayer and praise.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The annual meeting of the Winchester Union will be held Friday, January 8, at 3 p. m. in the vestry of the Congregational Church. The annual reports of officers and Superintendents will be presented and the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. All interested are invited and a full attendance of members is urged.

The Union has lost a ready and efficient helper in Mrs. Frank E. Rowe, for many years a faithful member, whose cheery presence will be greatly missed by her fellow members as in so many other places. The Union was largely represented at the funeral services.

In every paper that is taken up nowadays one may find articles on the temperance question showing that it is a very live issue. An interesting story is told of a party of sportsmen who took an annual outing in the Maine woods and have hitherto gone very liberally supplied with liquors. This year, after reading Dr. Williams' article in McClure's Magazine, by common consent they omitted that portion of their supplies. As a result they came back feeling more fit than for many years and while not entirely converted to total abstinence they are ready to endorse President Eliot as to the wisdom of partaking very sparingly of alcoholic beverages.

ROGER CUP WON BY NASON.

The Christmas bowling at the Calumet Club for the handsome copper loving cup presented by Mr. Charles C. Rogers was participated in by a large number of the followers of the game and the trophy was won by Mr. H. Barton Nason.

Mr. Nason's total for the five strings with handicap was 584, an average of 116 4-5 a string.

A number of good scores were made during the two day's bowling, the eight highest being as follows:

H. Barton Nason	584
Wm. J. Ladd	571
R. D. A. Thompson	560
Elmer D. Randlett	552
Henry Weed	539
Geo. A. Burgess	537
Sidney C. Blanchard	521
Geo. S. Littlefield	512

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At the annual meeting of the association of Mass. assessors held recently in Boston, it was voted to petition the legislature to have the date of assessing property in this state changed from May 1 to April 1. This is to bring about a conformity of dates with Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, all of which assess on April 1, and thus try to get the best of the "tax dodgers."

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BREAKS ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Burglars Entered Three Houses Estimated $200 Taken.

On Christmas eve, early in the evening, Winchester was visited by a gang of house breakers who succeeded in entering three houses and attempted to enter two others. All of the places visited were on the west side of the town, and the thieves were successful in getting away with considerable silverware and valuables. The value of their haul being estimated by Chief of Police McIntosh at about $200.

The house at No. 121 Church street was entered by forcing a rear door with a chisel, but the burglars were scared away by a bulldog before they could secure very much plunder. This break was discovered by the family when they returned home late in the evening.

Entrance was gained to the home of Mrs. Harriet A. Dykes, 4 Warren street, by raising a rear window. Mrs. Dykes and her servants were away and the house was completely ransacked.

The third break was at the home of E. S. Ashton, 26 Oxford street. Entrance was gained by forcing a rear window. Mr. and Mrs. Ashton had left for New York in the morning and had closed their residence. The thieves went through this house from top to bottom getting considerable plunder.

The first knowledge of the breaks came at seven o'clock, when the caretaker at the Dykes residence entered to look after the furnace. Word was telephoned to the Police, who discovered the break at the Ashton residence.

Two other attmpts were made to force an entrance to houses in the neighborhood, one at Edwin W. Southworth's house on Oxford street by prying open the front door with a chisel, and the other by prying open a window in the residence of Charles F. Ames on Cabot street. Neither of these houses were entered however.

The burglars appeared to be well posted as all of the houses were unoccupied at the time and the breaks are supposed to have been made by the same person or persons, as the imprint of the chisel is the same at each place.

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What Happened in Winchester 30 Years Ago, or Thereabouts.

Taken From Old Files

The 30th anniversary of the Baptist Sabbath School celebrated.

The macadamizing being pushed on Main street toward the Medford line. It has been completed from the Woburn line.

Mr. Sanderson lost a very valuable horse worth $200. Cause of death, spinal disease.

Irving S. Palmer and Leone S. Quimby are building a boathouse on Echo Lake, which is to eclipse the one recently built.

Dr. Wight, George F. Parker, L. M. Hall and C. F. Jordan went to Buzzard's Bay, on a bluefish excursion. Some good hauls were made.

Hon. F. O. Prince, ex-Mayor of Boston, arrived in town and occupies his Winchester house. John D. Winslow, ex-Sup't of the B. & L. R. R. has arrived.

Mrs. Gilman Gay taken by Chief of Police Dupee to New Bedford. She came into town on a visit, and delivered a lecture from Lyceum Hall steps on Freemasonry. She was insane.

An unoccupied house on Washington street, owned by Joseph Stone burned. During the same night an unsuccessful attempt was made to burn the band stand on the Common.

L. S. Quimby entertained a number of the citizens at his residence to celebrate the anniversary of the birthday of his daughter.

Hawes Bros. run street sprinkler, which is supported by private subscription.

The following Knights of Honor officers installed over Winchester Lodge: Dictator, H. C. Miller; Vice Dictator, W. V. Smalley; Assistant Dictator, I. S. Palmer; Chaplain, S. C. Small; Reporter, H. F. Clarke; Financial Dictator, C. E. Harrington; Guide, Henry Smalley; Guardian, E. M. Lowe; Sentinel, S. Gove.

Davis & Jennings, manufacturing jewelers, take the whole of the third story of Whitney's building. They employ from 12 to 15 men.

The front doors of Lyceum Hall altered, so as to open outwards in case of fire.

HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS ALUMNI.

The High School basket ball team defeated the Alumni team, made up of former stars, in an over time game by the score of 33 to 32 Thursday evening in the school gymnasium. The game was the best one ever played in the school gymnasium for a long time, and was full of excitement all the time. The school team got the lead and at the end of the first half was ahead 19-15. But in the second half the Alumni came back strong and tied the score. From that time on, first one team was ahead and then the other. In the last half minute Thompson shot a goal the whole length of the floor which made the score stand 28 each when the whistle blew. The captains of both teams agreed to play five minutes more to decide the outcome. Things were looking pretty dark for the school players, because the Alumni scored two baskets, until Thompson duplicated his stunt and then Cameron knocked the ball in the basket on a jump-off. Both baskets were scored in quick succession. Then a foul was called on the Alumni and Thompson pulled the game out of the fire by getting the goal after time was up. King played a great game for the Alumni, scoring 18 points for his team. Cameron also did some good shooting for the High school team.

The lineup:

HIGH SCHOOL		ALUMNI
Cameron	rf	Cummings
Collins	lf	King
Dover	c	Laravee
Thompson	rg	Welch
Sharon	lg	Webber

Score: Winchester 33, Alumni 32. Goals from floor made by Cameron 5, Collins 3, Dover 3, Sharon 2, Thompson 2, King 6, Cummings 4, Webber 2, Laravee. Goals from fouls, Sharon, Thompson 2, King 6. Referee, Cosgrove. Scorer, Cottie. Timer Neily. Time 15 and 20 minute halves; 5 minutes overtime.

SECOND TEAM ALSO WINS.

The second team defeated the Winchester A. A. in a fast game 27 to 19. The school team showed the result of more practice than the A. A. team, and had better team work. Mortensen excelled for the 2nd team while Mellet played a good game for the A. A.

The lineup:

WINCHESTER		A. A.
Tuck	rf	Mellet
LeDuc	lf	Collins
Mortensen	c	Ward
Hamilton	rg	Crawford
Hanson	lg	Browning

Score, Winchester 2nd 28, Winchester A. A. 19. Goals from floor made by Mortensen 6, Hamilton 2, LeDuc 2, Tuck, Hanson, Mellet 5, Collins 2, Crawford 2. Goals from free tries, Tuck, Mortensen, Ward 2, Mellet. Referee, Cosgrove. Scorer, Cottie. Timer, Neily. Time, two fifteen minute halves.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Will Cressy and Blanche Dayne come to Keith's Theatre next week as headliners in that funniest of all New England sketches, written by Mr. Cressy, entitled "Town Hall To-night." There is another headline feature that will come as a distinct surprise, and will no doubt create a sensation. This is Bernardi, the Italian protean actor, who puts on an entire drama with many characters, all of which are taken by himself.

Emmett Devoy and Company are also on the bill in that delightful sketch called "Dreamland," in which they were seen last season. Violet Gillette and George McFarlane have a musical comedy that is both bright and catchy.

Another real sensation will be Hugh Lloyd, the bounding walker, who unlike others who have appeared in this kind of a stunt, does not use a balance of any kind.

Also on the bill is Griff, the English juggler, who caused so much comment last year. Others are Willie Weston in a monologue; Smith and Heagney in a dancing and singing turn, and the Raven Trio, equilibrists, making one of the most varied and interesting shows announced in a long time.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Friday, the Feast of the Circumcision and New Year's Day there will be the service of the Holy Communion at 9 a. m.

The Epiphany Circle will meet Monday afternoon at 3. at the Choir Room.

The Woman's Guild will hold its annual meeting Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 5 at 3 at Mrs. Apollonio's, Church street.

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ONE WAY TO IMPROVE SCHOOL WORK.

Editor of the STAR:

Almost every one must be aware of the fact that public school conditions in the country at large have in recent years been given extensive and earnest consideration. The situation is probably no worse now than formerly; indeed it is doubtless in many respects better; but popular interest seems to be more widespread, with the result that all sorts of solutions are proposed, some promising and many impracticable. The subject is naturally too large to be covered in a single article, or indeed in a brief series of articles; there is, however, one aspect of the problem to which I wish to call special attention, because it seems to me to afford an opportunity for large gains at the expenditure of a minimum amount of effort.

Persons engaged in teaching in higher institutions are inclined to complain of two things — that students are poorly prepared, and that they do not know how to study. Those who are employed in public school work are perhaps willing to concede, in some degree at least, the truth of the accusation. At any rate, a pretty frequent attendance at the meetings of teachers' associations, a fairly good acquaintance with educational literature, and an opportunity, in various ways, to know the conditions prevailing in the high schools of eastern Massachusetts, cause me to feel safe in asserting that a good deal of dissatisfaction exists regarding the results secured by the high schools in this part of the Commonwealth at least. All sorts of explanations are given for this state of affairs, the two most common being too much athletics and too many social distractions. These factors are no doubt accountable to some extent for existing conditions, but to my own mind their share in the responsibility for unsatisfactory high school output is greatly overestimated.

In my opinion a limited and properly supervised amount of athletics, and a judicious quantity of social activity, are not only not harmful, but in many ways are helpful and beneficial. It is the excess that is fatal. My school visiting in various towns and cities has led me to the conclusion that there is abundant time for any proper amount of athletics and society without sacrificing one's studies, provided one or two simple rules are observed: first, in the class room, to give the closest attention to the recitation at hand; and secondly, in preparing one's lessons, whether at home or in the study period at school, to put one's undivided and uninterrupted thought on the work.

How often one notices in the schoolroom that after the teacher has most carefully gone over a given subject, a large number of pupils have not the faintest idea of what has just been explained, simply because they have not been paying attention. Teachers have enough to do in their large classes to teach each topic once, without being obliged to teach it two or three times, and then not reach the careless and indifferent. Again, in the preparation of lessons, a great many children dawdle away their time, work five minutes and loaf ten, with no serious concentration and application of mental effort. If, now, young people would learn to fix their attention firmly on the recitation in the schoolroom, and to apply themselves strictly in the preparation of their lessons, they would do their work in less time than they do it now, they would do it better, and they would have all the leisure they need for physical, social, and intellectual recreation.

Teachers should do what they can to train pupils in habits of attention, and parents should lend their assistance by constant insistence on concentrated application in the home studies. Attention to work and concentration of energies will not become matters of habit except through persistent and unremitting struggle; but the result will be worth any amount of effort.

CHARLES F. A. CURRIER.

THE HELEN REYNOLDS TRIO CONCERT.

The Helen Reynolds Trio, assisted by Miss Dorothy Temple Brown, soprano will appear here in the small Town hall, Tuesday evening, January twelfth. The program will include Trios by Linding, Mendelssohn and Beethoven, songs by Alfred H. Pease, Fred Hiller, two songs by Nevin with violin and violin cello obligato and a violincello solo.

Miss Reynolds is already known here by her solo playing, and is well known throughout the country by her association with the Oliver Mead Quartet and some concert appearances with Professor Willy Hess, with whom she has studied. Miss Halliday cellist, is a brilliant and popular soloist as well as an excellent ensemble player. Miss Gorham the pianist of the Trio well deserves the reputation she has made for herself in the musical world, as an artist to be reckoned with. Her technique is always facile and sure and she is a welcome addition to any concert program.

It will be a pleasure to hear Miss Brown again. To a lovely voice she adds temperament and unusually fine technique.

Last June she gave a song recital at the Bowery Mission in New York before over five hundred poor men, who were aroused to such a pitch of enthusiasm by her singing that after repeatedly recalling her they threw up their hats and shouted.

"Musical America" says of Miss Brown: "She is undoubtedly a singer who will be soon heard in important work."

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Union Services in observance of the Week of Prayer will be held in the Baptist, Congregational, and Methodist Churches the coming week to which all are most cordially invited.

Tuesday, 7.45 p. m. Service at the Baptist Church. Topic, "Prayer for the Holy Spirit in the Church for Conversion." Acts 1: 1-14; 2: 1-21.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Each church will hold its regular weekly meeting.

Thursday, 7.45 p. m. Service at the Congregational vestry. Topic, "Prayer for the Home as the Soul's First Religious Temple." 3 John; Eph. 5: 22-33; 6: 9.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Service at the Methodist Church. Topic, "Prayer for Evangelization." Isaiah 60: Matt. 9: 36-38.

The blessing of these meetings depends largely upon the attendance, sympathy, and co-operation of all who practice and believe in prayer. Will not all such do whatsoever lies in their power to secure the blessing. Come fitted by prayer and meditation to participate and labor for a work of grace. Let us "bring all the tithes into the storehouse," trusting that God will "pour us out a blessing."

THE JAPANESE GIRL.

In Lyceum Hall, Friday evening, Jan. 8, at 8 o'clock, The Sowers Lend-a-Hand Club of Arlington will present this most delightful operetta assisted by Mrs. James Nowell, Miss Cora Forbes, Miss Francis Elder and Miss Margaret French of Winchester, and a large orchestra.

Tickets at 50 and 75 cents to be had of Mrs. W. B. French, 111 Church street. Tel. 73. All seats reserved.

Japanese confections will be sold between the acts.

While out on the lake Wednesday afternoon, H. Webber Emery of Dix street, broke through the ice at a weak place plunging him into the deep water. His comrades made attempts to pull him out, but were unable to do so because of the thin ice. Master Emery then struck out for himself and after swimming some distance succeeded in pulling himself onto the firm ice. Despite the heavy weight of his clothing and the chill of the icy water, he did not loose his nerve, but was as cool headed as if swimming during the summer time. This shows the benefit of knowing how to swim and not loosing your nerve. He walked home in his wet clothes and next day was no worse for his involuntary bath.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

When returning from the barn dance at the Calumet Club Tuesday night Mrs. Susie Kingston, whose orchestra furnished the music for the affair, had a narrow escape from a serious accident. As her carriage was passing over the railroad crossing in the center the horse fell down directly across the railroad tracks and in front of a rapidly approaching freight train. Both Mrs. Kingston and the driver saw the approaching train and jumped clear of the carriage, while bystanders and the gatemen tried to drag the horse from the tracks and to stop the train. In the latter they were successful, the locomotive engineer, realizing that something was the matter succeeding in making a quick stop with his pilot but a few feet from the carriage. The horse was unharnessed but refused to rise, and after about ten minutes work the carriage and animal were moved sufficiently to allow the trains to pass. Mrs. Kingston continued to her home in an electric car.

Miss Stearns and Mr. Shufelt, soprano and bass of the Unitarian Church, will sing a duet at the Sunday morning service, Jan. 3rd. The quartette will sing "The Lord is King" by Buck.

Fessenden & Hawes have fitted up a show room in connection with their office at 542 Main street where they will carry a good assortment of caskets and funeral supplies. All funeral paraphernalia is new and up to date and satisfaction is guaranteed.

Go and laugh with the Twins, Friday evening, Jan. 8th. Tickets will be on sale at Knights drug store on the day of the performance.

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Through the office of Sewall E. Newman agreements have been signed by the Boston Co-operative Bank for the sale of a lot of land containing 11,120 square feet on Yale street. The name of the purchaser is withheld for the present.

Don't miss seeing 'ITommy's Wife," given by W. H. S. classes of 1909-10 in Town Hall, Friday eve, Jan. I. Tickets. $1.00, 75c, 50. Followed by dancing. Tickets on sale at Abare's drug store

Time may come and time may go, but action by the special grade crossing commission promises to be deferred for some time yet to come.

Mrs. Jerome Crosby of Webster street, is recovering from an attack of bronchitis.

We are indebted to the firm of Newton A. Knapp & Co., insurance, for one of their very useful desk calendars, issued each year.

The new bulletin of books issued by the public library today is one of the largest yet. The complete list can be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. J. C. Sullivan of Vine street was awarded a prize this week in a limerick contest held by the American Tobacco Co.

Mr. Gabriel Murray is in Winchester on a brief vacation from his duties at the Panama Canal. He has presented the Sullivan Bros. with a piece of petrified wood which he found at the foot of the Balboa Mountains during the course of his work. They are going to have the wood, or stone, made into a razor hone.

Julian R., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Tenney of Calumet road is giving this afternoon a birthday party to his dancing class.

"A kindly act is a kernal sown.
That will grow to a goodly tree,
Shedding its fruit when time has flown
Down the gulf of eternity."

A Happy New Year,
E. S. B.

Mrs. Henry T. Brown slipped on the ice near her home yesterday morning and sustained a severe fall. She was taken to her home and has since been confined to her bed.

During the winter season there will be a change in the hours of secondary services at the Second Congregational Church. The Christian Endeavor Society will meet at half-past five, and the evening service will begin at 6.30, except on occasional Sundays, when, by special announcement, rally services will be held at 7 p. m. The change becomes effective for the first time next Sunday.

Order Covel's strictly pure ice cream now for your Sunday dinner.

Dr. Church suffered an ill turn while attending the funeral of Mr. Bradstreet, Wednesday, and is confined to his bed, but hopes to be about in a few days.

Mr. Eben Page is confined to his bed with illness

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Brown & Gifford Ice Co. are now digging a trench on the edge of Horn Pond, 4 feet wide and 30 feet long in order to get a channel ready through which to carry its ice to the runway of the ice houses. This is an unheard of procedure and is made necessary by the very low water in the pond. The water is the lowest it has ever been in the past 30 years.

A new hockey rink has been completed on the grounds of the Winchester Country Club by that organization, the dam being finished this week. The rink is situated on that portion of the grounds adjoining Arlington street, near the residence of Mr. W. H. W. Bicknell and will be used as soon as sufficient water is obtained to fill it. Meanwhile a rink has been made on the upper Mystic lake.

Try Covel's ice cream for that Sunday dinner.

Those interested in the furnishing of their homes will find it to their own advantage and profitable savings if they read the advertisement of the fourteenth January Sale of Frothingham, Heffernan & Co., 169 and 171 Washington street, Boston. We were informed by a member of the firm that they had bought of a French Importer over 300 pairs of hand-made Renaissance Lace Curtains, which retail at $7.50 to $15.00 per pair, which they offer at $5.50 to $7.50 per pair, as cheap as a good Nottingham, also they have marked down over 250 large carpet size rugs, 9 x 12. These were $25.00 and $30.00, now $15.00 and $22.50.

Included in the list of persons supposed to have been in the earthquake zone in Italy and regarding whom inquiries have been made at the Dept. of State of Washington are Mr. and Mrs. Edmund H. Garrett and son Julian.

Miss Rebecca Fernald left on Saturday of last week for Michigan where she will be entertained several weeks by school friends.

Mrs. Harry A. Wheeler is in New York this week.

A chimney fire in the house occupied by Mr. Joseph Fessenden on Norwood street was the cause of an alarm of fire on Wednesday afternoon. There was no damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Lewis are in New York for New Year's. They will visit the automobile show before they return.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

It interested me to see by the account of the town meeting of thirty-one years ago in last week's STAR, that the Assessors have only been advanced one hundred dollars each since then. This is the only mean salary we have, and the Appropriations Committee should consider advancing it, as the office should carry with it a better salary.

Those conferences of business men on public affairs announced to be held at one of the churches ought to be productive of good, but undoubtedly very much more would be accomplished and the attendance be much larger if they were held in the Town Hall. That is the place for such meetings.

Giving that Italian who committed the murderous assault upon another recently a sentence of only four years, is one of the things that does not tend to decrease such crimes. The Courts have got to give more commensurate sentences to have much effect upon these all-too-common assaults, and it is high time they began.

Carnegie's advice to use your common sense and not try to analyze too closely and deeply, is mighty good advice for commissions, juries and many other bodies and individuals in a large number of cases.

I see by the papers that Winchester gained $276,000 by newly discovered taxes and many other places large sums. Whether or not our taxation laws are fair and just or not is undoubtedly questionable but they will never be improved until they are enforced and that should certainly be done.

What are we going to do to protect our macadam roads from the autos next year. We certainly must try something new, either do more watering or use some of the preparations of tar, for we cannot afford to continue as we have been going, as it is altogether too expensive.

Does our fire department practice enough? Every little while after a fire we hear a great deal of criticism of the way the business was handled and the amount of water available, etc. Would it not be better to have one engineer to give his entire time to the department in place of what we have had in the past in a board of three. It would not cost much more and the results should be better. The single engineer should consult with the Selectmen perhaps upon expenditures however.

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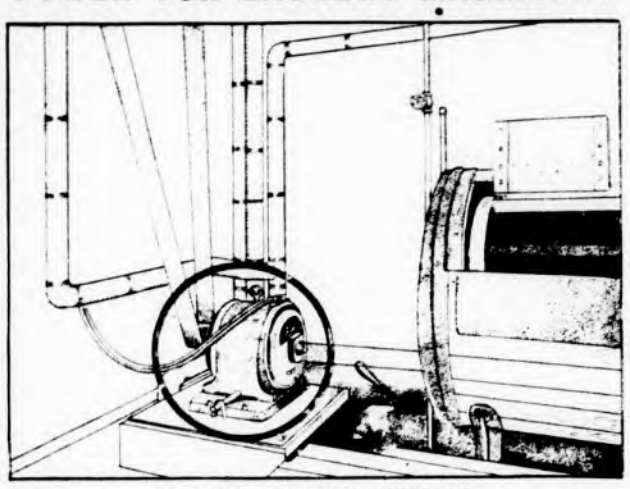

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No boy under 15 years of age is allowed to carry either shot gun or rifle with intent to hunt.

Any person who shall hunt in the season allowed by law shall at all times have his license in his possession when called upon to show same by any authorized person, failure to comply with this act is subject to a fine of not less than $10 nor more than $50 or imprisonment of 30 days, or both.

Any unnaturalized citizen must procure a license, cost of which is $15; failure to comply is subject to fine of $50 and imprisonment of 30 days.

It is therefore easily seen that firearms cannot be carried by either Italians or natives except by licence by Town Clerk and that boys under 15 years of age are prohibited from even the carrying of them.

The Town Clerk will be glad to show the form of license to anyone by calling at the Town Hall.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE

Nothing like the success of "The Circus Girl" at the Castle Square has been known for many a day. Ever since its opening performance on Christmas eve the theatre has been thronged by multitudes eager to see this entertaining musical comedy, Mr. Craig has, in response to this remarkable demand rearranged his plans, and has decided to give "The Circus Girl" still another week.

There will be no change in the cast, and the performances will be up to the top notch of musical comedy. The large chorus adds liveliness, personal beauty and vocal excellence to the production.

Mary Young is the bright star of the piece, and by no means far behind her are Miss Gertrude Binley, Minnette Cleveland, Catherine Tallman and Miss Kate Ryan. As for the men in the cast, they seem to have been singing in comic opera all their lives, Mr. Craig, Mr. Friebus, Mr. Meek, Mr. Evarts, Mr. Hassell, Mr. Chipmas and all the others, each contributing their share to the perfection of the production.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

December 28th, 1908.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Voted, that the flag be placed half-mast on Wednesday, the date of the funeral of Charles W. Bradstreet, a citizen of this town, who has been a member of the cemetery commission and chairman of the Selectmen.

Received communication from Mrs. Grace Squires in regard to position of signal boxes on poles in various parts of the town. Voted, to write the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company to have their telephone box on Main street near junction of Washington changed to a safer position.

Received and placed on file acknowledgment from Esterbrook Press, of awarding of contract for printing town reports.

Voted, to grant an auctioneer's license to Max Bernstein, "Lakeside Stables," for one year to Dec. 28, 1909, on payment of the usual fee of $2, and subject to the approval of the Chief of Police.

Signed petitions of the Edison Co., for two poles on Grove street, and one pole on triangle at Grove street and Mystic place, also 3 poles on Harvard street, between Florence street and the railroad tracks, and also for location and relocation of 3 poles on Dix street easterly from School street.

Adjourned at 10 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister, Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Anthems—"O Saviour of the World," Sir John Goss. Reception of new members.

Observance of the Lord's Supper. All Christians invited to partake.

12.0 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Ascension of our Lord." Acts. 1: 1-14.

4.30 p. m. Monthly Vesper Service at which the choir will render selections from Handel's "Messiah." See notice elsewhere. All are welcome.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—"The Duty of making good resolutions." Acts 11: 19-23; Josh. 24 14-25. Leader—Miss Martha Hamilton. All are cordially invited to attend.

For week of prayer services see other column.

Monday, 4.00 p. m. The January Social Group will meet with Mrs. Henry C. Conway, 20 Myrtle street.

Thursday 10.00 a. m. The regular meeting of the Ladies Western Missionary Society will be held at the vestry. Lunch at 12.30 o'clock. Business meeting at 3 o'clock, with election of officers for the ensuing year.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. Pastor's subject, "Isaiah's Message to the Present Age."

12 m. Sunday School.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Eleanor Briggs. Mr. Lawrance will speak on "Shinto, the native Religion of Japan."

Friday, 7.45 p. m. The Operetta, "The Japanese Girl," recently given in Arlington, will be given under the auspices of the Flower Committee of the Unitarian Church, at Lyceum Hall.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "God."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

2nd Sunday after Christmas.

10.30 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Ascension of Our Lord."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic, "Getting Ready for a Day's Work." "The Morning Watch."

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Subject, "Now or Never." All cordially invited.

Thursday, 3.00 p. m. The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the Parsonage. "Pioneer Work and Workers," will be the subject. Leader, Mrs. R. M. Armstrong.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

Our church will unite in the union service for the Week of Prayer, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. See notice elsewhere. On Wednesday evening our usual service will be held. Subject—"Prayer for the Church Membership to Personal Work."

Special meetings will be held in our church during the second and third weeks of January. The Pastor will be assisted by several ministers. On Friday evening, Jan. 15th the Fourth quarterly Conference will be held.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Communion Service with reception of new members. Preaching by the pastor on the theme, "New Visions and New Values."

12.00 m. Bible School. Mr. John McLean, superintendent. Meeting of the adult Bible class.

5.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, to be addressed by Mr. Clifford Haskins of Boston.

6.15 p. m. Short service for worship, with an address by the Pastor.

Tuesday. The Bethany Sewing Society meets for an all-day session in the church.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week prayer and conference meeting.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon—"The Open Door." Seats free. Welcome.

11.30 Communion Service.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Subject, "The Ascension of Our Lord."

12.00 m. Conference for business men. Third conference on "Child Labor" conducted by Mr. Everett W. Lord, N. E. Sec. of the Child Labor Committee. All men invited.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Missionary Meeting, with address by Miss Porter, of Boston, who will tell of her work among the Syrian children in the North End. Missionary collection.

7.00 p. m. Evening Worship. Chapel service of praise and preaching. Sermon—"The Noblest Resolution." Welcome.

Monday, 3 p. m. Woman's Missionary Meeting with Mrs. Arthur P. Briggs, 7 Park avenue. Mrs. J. W. Peckham, of Boston, will speak. This will be the annual meeting, with reports of officers and committees, and election of officers for the new year. Mrs. Blank, the collector, desires all the mite boxes to be handed in by that time.

For Week of Prayer announcement see elsewhere.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer Meeting. Topic: "What Comforts Have I Found in Prayer?"

Wednesday, 9.05 p. m. Lesson Worker's Conference, conducted by the Rev. Arthur W. Smith.

Thursday, 10 till 4, Woman's Benevolent Society. Luncheon at 12.15.

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Premium on U. S. Bonds,	1,500.00	Deposits,	265,647.96
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SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Elizabeth Spencer of the Prince School and Miss Bessie Small of the Highland School who have been out on leave of absence through sickness returned to their duties on Wednesday.

Miss Edith F. Trombly, who has been acting as principal of the Highland School in Miss Spencer's absence, left yesterday for a month's trip to Washington, D. C.

During the holiday vacation all the school buildings have been thoroughly renovated and cleaned, and put in order for the coming months. Figured glass has been placed in the lower half of all the windows in the boy's and girl's dressing rooms and in the shower rooms at the High School during the Christmas vacation.

The southern portion of the roof of the Washington school has been reshingled.

Beginning Monday next the Savings system is to be installed in all of the school buildings where grades 3 to 6, inclusive, are located. The system has been in operation at the Chapin, Rumford and Washington schools, except for grade 3 pupils in the two latter buildings. The new schools to take up the system are the Prince, Wyman, Mystic and Highland.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

After the union services are closed, Pastor Chaffee will continue services four nights a week for at least two weeks.

On account of so many new comers to the Church, the Rev. John Chaffee and Mrs. Chaffee will give a New Year reception on Monday evening, from eight to ten, to which the entire church and their friends are cordially invited. There will be readings by Miss Ethel Clay and Miss Alfreda Mobbs and others. Please extend this invitation.

DIED

BRADSTREET—Dec. 28, Charles W. Bradstreet, aged 75y. 6m. 19d. Funeral services held Dec. 30 at 2.30 p. m. from the Church of the Epiphany conducted by Rev. John W. Suter. Int. in Wildwood Cemetery.

BOWLES—Dec. 30. Frank Herbert Bowles, aged 52y 2m 21d. Funeral services will be held Jan. 1 at 2.30 p. m., from the Church of the Epiphany.

BRESLIN—Dec. 29, Katherine Agnes, wife of John Breslin, aged 22y. 3m. 26d.

FOLEY—In Winchester, Dec. 30, at the home of his father, John Foley, 15 Hill street, suddenly, James E. Foley. Funeral from 15 Hill street, Friday, January 1, at 8.15 a. m. High mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock.

POND—In Boston, Dec. 24, suddenly, Handel Pond, 56 years. Farewell services private, at his late residence, in Winchester, last Saturday at 2 p.m.

ROWE—Dec. 24, Nellie Rebecca (Dodge) wife of Frank E. Rowe, aged 41y. 2m. 5d. Funeral services were held Dec. 27, at the First Congregational Church, conducted by Rev. D. Augustine Newton. Interment in Wildwood Cemetery.

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By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

A reputation for sarcasm is neither lucrative nor ingratiating, but it is occasionally protective.

You can hear a lot without receiving any information and sometimes sell a lot without getting any cash.

Not being able to have any words is the extreme of poverty to some people, notably those of the gentler sex.

Not every fat, bald man you see smiling blandly and talking discreetly is giving an imitation of a man running for president.

Nothing but his money bags keeps a bad man up.

There are people so simple minded that it is hard to understand them.

When it is hard work to cook and hard to work the cook, what is a poor woman to do?

It is nice to be pleasant, but it is not always pleasant to have to be nice.

There is one sure thing—as long as you don't get married you will not need a divorce.

The man who unctuously remarked that we are indeed all sinners did not say it as if he felt very guilty.

Coming Star Cart.

Do we go up?
You bet.
We do.
Or we will in
A month
Or two.
The world
Will soon
Be on the wing
And sailing,
Pert
As anything.
Our grand
Inventors
Night and day
Are working
At
Their tasks away,
And soon
They'll say
To us "Step in
And round
The planets
Take a spin."
The auto
Will be
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When
Of the airship
We are sure.
And as
For Dobbin dear—
Oh, say,
Perhaps
We'll let him
Haul a dray.
In azure realms
We'll sail afar
And hitch
Our go-cart
To a star
And the fat constable,
Indeed,
Will ever
Cut us down
For speed.

So Easy.

If we could just be happy,
How happy we would be!

Knew Where He Was At.

"Some girls are pretty."

"Yes, John, and some are near pretty."

"That's me."

"You, John?"

"You bet I am near pretty girls every time."

Free Show.

"You have put the stamp on wrong side up."

"What's the difference?"

"I don't like to see George Washington standing on his head."

"Pshaw! You are not appreciative. The people of his day would gladly have paid admission to see such a sight."

A Convenience.

"I hear you are engaged to Jack."

"Yes; for awhile anyway."

"You don't mean to say you are trifling with him."

"Well, it is handy to have somebody along to pay car fare."

Just Like a Woman.

"But I tell you I have no money."

"None at all?"

"No."

"Well, I think you might give me half of it anyway, you mean thing!"

Probably.

"Pshaw! Any fool woman can cry."

"That's just it?"

"Just what?"

"The bigger the fool the more successful the cry."

The Weak Point.

"I am going to call on the girl's father tonight."

"Taking boxing lessons?"

"No; just taking a pocketful of his favorite cigars."

Good Forgetter.

"How do you stand the warm weather?"

"I forget it."

"You're lucky if you can."

A Matter of Conventions

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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The train screamed its way through the valley, grunted up the steep incline and came to a standstill before the ramshackle little station. It paused while two passengers alighted, and then it hurried off, as if it was glad to get away from such an insignificant stopping place.

Elsie Lansing accepted her leather bag from the taciturn station agent, who at the same time pushed a suit case toward the other traveler, a tall young man buttoned up in a gray ulster.

"Stage here for Greentop?" queried the latter, picking up his grip.

"Not this day!" returned the agent grimly. "Jim Laidlaw, he seems to think Saturday's made special so's he can git a little drunker'n usual! If you ain't expected, you'll have to walk!" With which remark he slammed the station door and turned the key.

"Let me see—it's twelve miles to Greentop, isn't it?" asked the stranger thoughtfully.

"Twelve and a half. Straight road ahead." The agent tramped away across the platform and disappeared inside a small cottage perched on the high bank above the tracks.

Elsie Lansing looked dubiously at the frozen road stretching away between pine clad heights, faintly touched with the early morning sun. She had traveled all night and had telegraphed for her newly acquired brother-in-law to meet her.

There was no sign of the white motor car which had been a part of the bridal equipment and which was to speed her to the Eyrie, in the Green mountains, away from civilization and its attendant comforts.

"If you are going to Greentop, permit me to carry your bag," said the young man, lifting his hat. "It is a stiff walk, but perhaps it will stimulate an appetite for dinner."

"You are very good," replied Elsie pleasantly, "but my bag is not heavy, and I can easily carry it myself."

Without further conversation they left the station and made their way along the road in the shadow of the pines.

It was a crisp day, with a tang of early winter in the breath of the north wind. It was an invigorating day, with its strong scent of pine and balsam, the rattle of crisp, dry cones and the sweet purity of mountain air.

The stranger walked on ahead with long, swinging strides. His head was bent thoughtfully, and it was quite evident that he had forgotten the girl, who was struggling to keep pace with him. Suddenly he turned and perceived her.

"I must ask your pardon!" he cried commiseratively. "I forgot—that is, I did not realize how fast I was walking. Let me take your bag. You are very tired."

He took it from her unresisting hand and looked down at the delicate cheek, paler by contrast of the fringing dark lashes.

"I hope it isn't much farther," she admitted ruefully. "I have been ill, and my strength is fickle."

He stopped and looked about him. They had come to a slight opening in the forest, where the sun streamed over fallen tree trunks and glinted on the surface of a tiny brook that wound its way across the road.

"We will rest here," he said, with a note of authority in his voice. "It is a good deal farther. We have come perhaps three miles. If you will let me take you back to the station I will return to Greentop and procure a conveyance of some sort"—

"No," she objected, sinking wearily on to a fallen log. "I will be rested presently. You see, I didn't eat any breakfast, and"—

"No breakfast!" he echoed blankly. "I don't wonder you are tired. Wait a minute, please!" He knelt down before his suit case and unlocked it. From its depths of masculine apparel he brought forth a small alcohol stove, a bottle of the necessary liquid and a small tin of beef extract.

Elsie watched him with amused interest. With deft fingers he filled and lighted the lamp and opened the tin of extract. "I wonder if he is a drummer and is demonstrating some of his wares!"

But there was something in the man's thin, intellectual face, with its nearsighted blue eyes behind thick glasses, that belied her estimate. There was a vague familiarity about his movements that puzzled her.

"Here," he said, approaching her with a small silver drinking cup, "drink this, please."

"You are very kind indeed," she said gratefully, sipping the hot liquid. "I am afraid I am depriving you of your luncheon."

He threw back his head and laughed heartily. Elsie liked the laugh and decided that she liked the man.

"Excuse me, but you must think I'm an old maid—to be traveling about with that equipment," he said. "You see, I have an invalid aunt in Greentop. These are to rejoice her heart!"

"I have bonbons in my bag," confessed Elsie. "Shall we eat them?"

"Let's," he assented gayly.

When the empty box had been thrown away and the spirit lamp and its appurtenances had been returned to the suit case Elsie arose and drew her furs about her white throat.

"I feel like a new woman," she said gratefully.

"The Lord forbid!" he cried, with fervency.

They laughed in unison as they resumed their journey. The way seemed shorter now as they chatted of impersonal matters. Once the man referred to a certain scientific work.

"I haven't read that; I did read Professor Ray's book on the same subject."

"Ah! You have read Ray's book?" he questioned.

She nodded. "I had to!"

"Why under compulsion?" There was deep interest in his tone.

"You see, Peter Ray is my brother-in-law's elder brother."

"You know him?" he asked.

"Not at all. I have never seen him, but Bob says he is a jolly grind, and my sister says he is charming."

"See that squirrel!" said the man, suddenly changing the subject. "It is a flying squirrel, and his antics are worth watching. Squirrels are perfect acrobats."

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A long, white motor car crawled down the road to the railroad station. A man struggled ineffectually with the speed levers.

"Four hours from the Eyrie, darling," murmured a white veiled vision from the tonneau.

"I can't help it, Lettie! I don't know what's got into the machine! Elsie will be starved to death after this long wait. If Laidlaw isn't there she may try to walk," groaned Bob Ray dismally.

"If Peter was only here!" said Lettie gently.

"Aye, Peter could make the blamed thing go! By Jove, Lettie, look there!" He pointed ahead, where a huge log was rolled beside the path.

On it sat a man and a girl deeply interested in watching the antics of a squirrel in the pine tree overhead.

"Elsie!" cried Mrs. Ray breathlessly.

"And Peter, as I'm a sinner!" added her husband, tooting his horn gayly.

The pair on the log turned around and then arose.

For the first time that day Elsie felt embarrassed at the situation. She could explain the fact that a stranger had accompanied her on the long walk, but now to make it clear to conventional Lettie that sitting upon the log was a natural outcome of their friendly companionship?

Bob Ray saved her from Lettie's displeasure.

"Peter, old, man," he shouted gleefully, "forget all your old 'isms' and 'ologies' and get down and tinker this thing into shape! How is Elsie—tired, eh?"

Elsie flushed and hesitated. Professor Ray came nobly to her aid. "I met Miss Lansing at the station. We came up on the train together, you know. There was no conveyance, so we walked. Glad you met us, though," he added mendaciously.

When the automobile had been inwardly soothed by the skillful hands of the professor they whizzed smoothly toward the Eyrie.

"I thought you and Peter had never met, Elsie?" said her sister, with an interrogative glance.

"Why—yes—we—er—met"— faltered Elsie, with a pleading glance at the nearsighted blue eyes that peered at her from the front seat.

"We met"— said the professor, whose mental insight was without flaw, "we—er—met. Is not that sufficient?"

Lettie looked at her sister's conscious face and at Peter's betraying eyes.

"I think that is sufficient," she said, with a sage nod of her pretty head.

Bread and Microbes.

From experiments made by M. Roussel in Paris it appears that only the crust of bread is submitted to a sufficiently high temperature to kill all the bacteria which the loaf may contain. The inside of the loaf may therefore be contaminated by the microbes from a consumptive baker or conveyed in the water, as is the case with typhoid fever and cholera. Professor Metchnikoff was asked his opinion whether bread could not be a source of danger, and his answer was as follows: "I don't think so. The temperature to which the inside of a loaf is submitted generally exceeds 140 degrees F. At this temperature many microbes are killed—those of tuberculosis, for instance—but there are much hardier germs, such as those of anthrax, the germs of which are only killed at over 224 degrees F. But anthrax is rare, and it is hardly likely that a baker attacked by this terrible malady would continue to work once the disease had declared itself." Professor Metchnikoff advises, however, that only bread which is well baked, and therefore not crumbly, should be eaten.

What She Was Thinking Of.

The young poet had just finished what he considered to be a work of real inspiration, and, rising from his table, he hastened upstairs to where his little wife, a bride of six weeks, was sitting darning his socks.

"Listen, sweetheart," he whispered tenderly. "I have just written this."

And he began to read. He put his whole soul into the reading. His gestures were graceful; his intonation perfect. The whole spirit of his beautiful poem breathed forth as he threaded his way form the beginning to the end of his theme, and when he had finished he looked at her, awaiting her verdict.

For a time she was silent.

"Well, dear heart," he said, "tell me what you are thinking."

"I was wondering, dearest"—

"What?"

"Whether the butcher was not awfully late with that liver," she replied.—Judge.

The Costly Brier Pipe.

"People don't understand brier pipe making," said a dealer. "If they did they wouldn't consider a five or six dollar brier extravagant. Did you know, for instance, that a brier pipe after its completion is put away to season for nine or ten years? French brier is the best material for these pipes. It isn't, though, brier, and it doesn't come from France. It comes from—etymologically speaking—the word 'bruyere,' which means 'furze.' French brier is really Italian furze root, a growth of the Tuscan Alps. The plant is as carefully cultivated as tobacco itself. All the sprouts and leaves are kept well pruned; thus all the sap goes to the root's nourishment. The root is cut when fully developed and boiled and dried before shipment. Afterward the pipemaker boils and dries it again. And when the pipe is finished he stores it away for further drying—a matter of eight years or so. The best brier pipe is one cut crosswise of the grain, and the grain should be birdseye. Such a pipe lasts a lifetime—can be handed down from father to son. Of course it's dear."

Only the Truth.

A virtue carried to excess may become ridiculous. To such action one may well preach, "Be temperate in all things," even in virtue. Amelia Opie, the English authoress, was not content with any half measures, as is shown in a letter from her quoted in "Quaker Pictures," by Wilfred Whitten. Mrs. Opie's course of conduct is to be respected as proceeding from her conscientious nature, but fiction renders may congratulate themselves that her opinions are not universal.

Before she became a Quaker she wrote fiction. After her conversion she was asked to contribute a story to a magazine. Her answer to the editor ran as follows:

"Thou knowest or ought to know that since I became a Friend I am not free to what is called to make a story. I will write a fact for thy perusal or any little matter of history or truth or a poem if thou wishest, but I must not lie and say such and such a thing took place when it did not. Dost thou understand?"

A Famous Story.

Every section has its famous story. A famous story that is being retold in Oregon is about a very rich banker who got his start by doing work for the government. His bill was $5,000, and it had to be submitted to congress. Congress has a habit of cutting its bills in two. To make allowance for this he jumped his bill to $10,000. He sent the bill to the governor for his approval. The governor, having also heard that congress generally appropriated only half as much as was asked, jumped it to $20,000. The bill was then sent to one of the congressmen. Being friendly to the contractor, he jumped it to $40,000 and sent it to another Oregon congressman for his approval. The second congressman jumped it to $80,000. Congress allowed the whole $80,000, although the contractor was entitled to only $5,000. This is told as a fact in Oregon. The man who got the $80,000 got his start on it and is now a millionaire.—Atchison Globe.

A "Lady" In Pepys' Time.

There were worse terrors than the matinee hat for the man who sat behind a lady in the seventeenth century theater, as recalled by the London Chronicle. At least, we may suppose so from Mr. Pepys' experience on Jan. 28, 1661, when he saw "The Lost Lady" for the second time. Nine days earlier that play had not pleased him much, partly perhaps because he was "troubled to be seen by four of our office clerks, which sat in the half crown box and I in the 1s. 6d." But on the second occasion the play did "please me better than before, and here, I sitting behind in a dark place, a lady spit backward upon me by a mistake, not seeing me." However, it was all right, for, "after seeing her to be a very pretty lady, I was not troubled at it at all."

In Different Sets.

It is but seldom, one imagines, that a good joke is made about an oyster. Edmund Yates, however, in his "Recollections and Experiences," relates one. "I was walking with Thackeray one evening from the club," writes Yates, "and, passing a fish shop in New street, he noticed two different tubs of oysters, one marked '1 shilling a dozen' and the other '1s. 3d. a dozen.'

"'How they must hate each other!' said Thackeray."

London's Bridges.

Few people are aware of the extent to which the city of London is bridged over. In all, it seems, there are no fewer than seventy-five bridges. Of these nineteen are railway bridges, three are bridges over roads (such as Holborn viaduct), and fifty-three are bridges which connect private premises.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Placing Him.

"May I ask you what your profession is?"

"Certainly. I cure people of the blues by hypnotic power."

"Oh, I see. You're what you might call a cheerupedist."

Mean.

Maud (before the laughing hyena's cage)—How provoking! Here we've been twenty minutes, and the hyena hasn't laughed once. Ella—Strange, and he's been eying your new hat too!

His Great Love.

She—Darling, do you love me? He (kissing her rapturously and repeatedly)—Do I? I wish you were a two headed girl. That's all I can say.—London Tit-Bits.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

In effect October 5, 1908.

Trains leave Winchester for Boston †6.02, †6.15, †6.27, †6.52, †7.05, §7.14, †7.21, †7.25, †7.35, †7.43, §7.49, †7.50, †8.12, †8.28, †8.38 §8.58, †9.02, §9.30, §9.55, †10.03 †10.08, †10.27, §11.08, †11.25, †11.53, A. M. §12.12, §12.43, †1.09, §2.07, ‡2.13, §3.10, †3.18, †3.23, §3.32, §4.13, †4.29 †4.53 †5.08 †5.33, †5.42, §5.44, §5.53, †5.57, †6.26, §6.54, §7.00, †7.07 §8.33 †8.33, §9.14, †9.33, †10.33, †10.53, P. M.

Trains leave Winchester Highlands for Boston †6.12, †7.02, †7.32, †7.56, †8.09, †8.35, §18.55, †‡10.06, †11.51, A. M., §12.40, †1.02, †‡3.20, §14.10, †4.50, †5.30, †6.23, §6.57, §8.30, †‡8.30, †‡10.50, P. M.

Trains leave Wedgemere for Boston †6.04, †6.17, †6.54, †7.07, †7.23, †7.37, †8.01, †8.14, †8.30, †8.40, §9.00, †9.04, §9.32, †10.10, †10.29, §11.10, †11.55, A. M., §12.14, §12.45, †1.11, §2.09, †3.25, §3.34, §4.15, †4.55, †5.35 §5.55, †6.28, §7.02, †7.09 §8.35, †8.35, §9.16, †9.35, †10.55 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Stoneham †7.30, †8.58, †10.28, §10.30, A. M., †12.01, †1.44, §2.00, †2.51, †4.09, †5.01, †5.48, §5.56, †6.20, †6.48 §6.56, †7.36, §9.53, †9.58, †11.48 P. M.

† Daily except Sunday. § Sunday only. v Stop only to take passengers when signalled. ‡ Stops on signal to take or on notice to conductor to leave passengers.

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Time Table.

Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes ur til 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

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Progress.

"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop, "my boy is doing first rate at school. I sent him to one o' them alimentary schools, and his teacher says he's doing fine. He's a first class sculler, they tell me, and is head of his class in gastronomy, knows his letters by sight and can spell like one o' these deformed spellers down to Washington."

"What's he going to be when he grows up?"

"He wants to be an undertaker, and I'm inclined to humor him so I've told the confessor to pay special intention to the dead languages," said the proud mother.—Harper's Weekly.

TOWN DIRECTORY.

Following are the evenings set apart by the town departments as regular times of meeting:

TOWN CLERK—Daily, 8.30 to 11.30 a. m., 2 to 4.30 p. m., and Saturday evenings from 6.45 to 7.45.

SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners — Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
Park Commissioners — Preston Pond, Jere A Downs, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Means, Arthur F Odlin,
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
Sealer of Weights and Measures—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Water Works—William T Dotten.
Constables — W R McIntosh, E F Maguire, James P Hargrove.
Inspector of Milk—Harold A Gale.
Inspector of Animals—William Buckley.
Burial Agent of deceased soldiers and sailors—Edwin Robinson.
Measurers of Wood and Bark—Benjamin T Morgan, Justin L Parker, Norman E Gates, Daniel R Beggs, John D Coakley, John C Ray.
Weighers of Coal—Benjamin T Morgan, Justin L Parker, John D Coakley, A J Fremont.
Registrar of Voters—John T Cosgrove, Emmons Hatch, James H Roach.

Philadelphia Flier of 1737.

In these days of fast trains we can hardly conceive how the newspaper announcement made March 10, 1737, that a "flier would begin flying on 3d April to perform the journey between New York and Philadelphia in one day" could have created a great sensation—even in Philadelphia. Eighty miles in fourteen hours does not seem to us such breathless speed, but when we read in the same paper that in order to accomplish this feat "John Butler, with his waggon, must needs set out from the sign of the Death of the Fox at daybreak and drive at top speed (the horses being changed at each stage ere the coach stops rocking) to meet the ferry of Rubin Fitzrandolph, which delivers passengers in New York by night."

We can understand that for those leisurely times this was indeed "going some." This, at least, was the opinion of a traveler who performed this journey in 1737, for he writes home, "And if any one wishes to travel more quickly let him go to Kentucky and charter a streak of lightning."

The Dazzling Searchlight.

On a dark night no warship would be safe from torpedo attack but for the searchlight. The full moon lights up a torpedo boat so that it can be fired at when nearly a mile away. To produce the same illumination with the most powerful artificial light an electric arc of 160,000 candle power placed three quarters of a mile high would be needed if the aid of mirrors were not available. But with this light and an ingenious arrangement of mirrors it is possible to surpass the moon. Searchlights are now made which throw light a distance of sixty-three miles, but objects can be seen only a few miles from the source of the light. The effect on the enemy is most demoralizing. When the bright beam is suddenly thrown on the eye the pupil contracts violently; when the beam is removed the eye can see nothing. If this be repeated a few times it takes all the nerve out of a man, so that only the best trained and most courageous can continue the attack.—London Answers.

Not That Color.

Willie lost his pet dog and was much distressed. He spent his time searching for it, and so often did he run into the house crying, "Come, quick; there's Fido; I saw him!" the family grew somewhat dubious.

One day Willie rushed in more excited than usual. "Mamma, mamma!" he cried. "I've seen Fido! I've seen Fido!"

"Oh, no; I guess not," replied the patient mother. "It must have been your imagination."

Willie looked at her much aggrieved. "Well," he said indignantly, "I guess my 'magination isn't white behind."—Delineator.

Too Suggestive.

Wimbleton—Hello, Simpelton! How did you enjoy your visit to the insane asylum the other day? Simpelton—Oh, so-so. It was all right enough, I guess. Wimbleton—Well, you don't talk as though you were impressed with it. Did you give the superintendent my note of introduction? Simpelton—Yes, I gave it to him. Wimbleton—Well, what did he say? Simpelton—Oh, he just looked at me and said, "Make yourself at home."—Lippincott's.

Wedding Present Problem.

What people ought to do when they send out invitations to a wedding is to add after the R. S. V. P. the letters P. S. L., which stand for "Please send list." The would be donor would then send a selection of, say, four articles from 1 shilling to £1,000 in value, and the bride would pick out what she wished—London World.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel B. White, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alfred S. Hall, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester Star, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. F. ROGERS, Register.
d24,j1,8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Eastham, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
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42. Beggs & Cobbs Tannery. (Private).
43. Main street, cor Salem street.
44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Skillian circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Minnie H. Thompson of New Haven, Conn., has been spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Jennie B. Metcalf of the Highlands. She returned to her home Monday.

Nearly all the houses on the high service system have been equipped with water meters.

1909 will be confusing for a time in dating letters, etc.

Who are your candidates for the March election? The Caucus will soon be here.

The late Handel Pond was a generous and hearty giver, and in this particular, he will be missed.

When you go out in the evening keep a light burning in the house. If a stranger calls in the evening and inquires if somebody unknown to you lives there become suspicious, and promptly notify the police. The caller is probably looking the ground over for an anticipated "break."

The STAR wishes its numerous readers a Happy New Year.

The ten ride book on the steam road has had the effect of increasing travel.

The placing of a memorial on Manchester Field in memory of the late Forrest C. Manchester is a good suggestion.

In paying his taxes to the town of Belmont, recently, Henry O. Underwood made out a check for one hundred dollars more than the bill, and when asked by the Selectmen his reason for doing so, he replied that he considered his automobile had done that much damage to the town's roads.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Learned of Lebanon street have been spending the holidays in New Hampshire.

Mrs. Alex. R. Livingstone is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fisher of Highland avenue.

Fancy baskets filled with Reputation chocolates at Covel's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Chapman of Highland avenue have returned home after a protracted visit at their son's farm in Groton.

A burning hay-stack owned by Bartholomew Connelly of Middlesex street was the cause of an alarm of fire from Box 41 on Monday evening. The outside of the stack was somewhat burned, but the damage was slight. It is thought to have been set by boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Gates of Woburn observed their 25th anniversary Christmas day, and 150 or more friends and relatives gathered at their home, 79 Green street. Mr. and Mrs. Gates are both natives of Harmony, N. S. The former is 52 years old, and his wife is five years his junior. They were married in their native town Dec. 25, 1883. Mr. Gates came to the United States in 1879. Mr. Gates is in the employ of Mr. Frank A. Cutting of this town, having charge of the building and repairing of the Cutting bark cars at the freight yards here.

Rev. Frederick H. Means and family leave this week for Madison, Me., where Mr. Means has accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church at that place.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. E. A. Elliot is passing the Holidays in New York visiting relatives and friends.

The quarterly meeting of the Calumet Club has been postponed from Saturday, Jan. 2 to Saturday, Jan. 16.

The annual athletic meeting will be held at the Calumet club house on Saturday Evening, Jan. 9th.

Mrs. Roland H. Sherman and family spent Christmas with friends in Lawrence.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Churchill Hindes spent Christmas with relatives in Vermont.

The Middlesex County National Bank has gone from a 4 per cent. basis to a 5 per cent. basis. The first payment of the increased dividend will be Jan. 1st.

A diary is a mighty handy reference a year from now. All styles at Wilson's.

On Monday evening the Selectmen will meet in joint session with the members of the School Committee to fill the vacancy on the latter board caused by the resignation of Rev. Frederick H. Means.

About 40 children enjoyed the concert and entertainment given by the Dorothea Dix children at the Calumet Club on Christmas afternoon. The program was interestingly and entertainingly given much to the delight of the young audience. At its close the children were all served with ice cream and cake.

Rehearsals have started in earnest—great enthusiasm—"Isle of Bamboo." 50 artists.

In a recent issue of the STAR it was stated in connection with a notice of the Helen Reynolds Trio Concert, that Miss Margaret Gorham had appeared with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. It should have read, Boston Symphony Quartet.

Young the caterer, furnished the refreshments for the West Medford Neighborhood Club dance at West Medford, Monday evening. It is needless to say that the refreshments were much enjoyed.

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Peanut taffy, kisses and all kinds of hard candies, fresh made at Covel's.

Rev. Daniel J. Keleher entertained the members of the choir of St. Mary's Church Monday evening at dinner at the United States Hotel. There were 19 in the party. Addresses were delivered by Fr. Keleher, Charles J. Harold, George W. Hayes, Charles Gallagher and Alfred Laforte.

Through the office of Sewall E. Newman agreements have been signed by Mr. George B. Whitehorne for the sale of his new cement house at 29 Oxford street. The name of the purchaser is withheld. The house will be completed in about three weeks.

Don't miss seeing "Tommy's Wife," given by W. H. S. classes 1909-10, in Town Hall, Friday eve, Jan. 1. Tickets $1.00, 75c, 50c. Followed by dancing. Tickets on sale at Abare's drug store

Do not fail to see the Japanese Girl Jan. 8th. Tickets will be on sale at Knights drug store on the day of the performance.

Miss Muriel Tappan of Sharon, well known as a former resident of Winchester, has been the guest of Miss Helen Hall of Summit avenue this week.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

At a meeting of the Phillips Exeter Academy Athletic Association, held last Saturday evening D. J. P. Wingate of Winchester was elected manager and Mowry Smith of Neenah, Wis., assistant manager of the 1909 football team.

Next Tuesday evening the newly elected officers of Aberjona Council, Royal Arcanum, will be publicly installed. It promises to be an interesting event, attended by many members and friends.

As a result of the efforts of local assessors in the cities and towns of Massachusetts working in conjunction with the office of the state tax commissioner, approximately $30,000,000 of personal property which has heretofore escaped taxation has this year been "discovered" and placed in the valuation lists. The amount of property found in Winchester, according to the reports, was $275,000 yielding $4800 in taxes.

The following persons are recommended to membership in the First Congregational Church by letter: Mrs. Catoline Frances Fay and Miss Edith Hyde Fay from First Congregational Church of Natick; Mrs. Mary Allison Holbrook from Central Congregational Church of Chelsea; Mr. Clarence Francis Lescomb from First Orthodox Congregational Church of Somerville and Mrs. C. F. Lescomb from the Union Congregational Church of Boston.

Admiral Dewey always kept a diary. Why not you? For sale at Wilson the Stationer's.

Winchester taxes are returned to the citizens in improvements and the comforts of living and good government.

The special committee on street lighting appears to be dormant. Almost as dilatory as the special commission on grade crossing abolition.

Mrs. Wilfred Frioch of Fairmount street slipped on the ice near her home last week and met with a painful accident, breaking her ankle. She is at the homeopathic hospital in Boston.

Last Fall it was decided by the ladies of the Social Committee that it was not desirable to have an annual supper in the vestry under the present conditions. The Chairmen of the January Group were therefore appointed with the understanding that instead of planning any entertainment for January, they should turn over all money collected by them to the "New Kitchen Fund."—Cong. Church Calendar.

In the district court last Thursday a female tramp, arrested in Winchester, was given 3 months in the house of correction.

Mr. Fred J. Brown, known to many people in Winchester, and a most genial fellow, will probably be elected chairman of the Board of Aldermen of Woburn.

Miss Helen Daly of the local postoffice was confined to her home by sickness last week.

Mrs. E. D. Chadwick entertained her whist club on Saturday evening at her home on Cabot street.

Mr. Paul Irving Dotten,—youngest son of Superintendent Dotten of the water department,—and Miss Mina Mabelle Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Baker of Wakefield were quietly married Christmas day. They are spending a short time in the Adirondacks, and will hold a reception Jan. 8th, at eight o'clock at Mr. Dotten's home on Reservoir street.

J. W. Rice & Co., the grocers in Brown & Stanton block, Main street, have demonstrated that a cash grocery business can be successfully carried on in Winchester. They are doing a good business and it is increasing every day, and furthermore those people who are willing to pay cash are much pleased with the saving made. There is no reason why those persons who pay their bills should also make up the deficit caused by those who do not. This firm insists on cash, and in return carries a large line of fresh groceries from which to select and which they sell at moderate prices. Give them an order and see if this is not so.

Don't miss seeing "Tommy's Wif," given by W. H. S. classes of 1909-10 in Town Hall, Friday eve, Jan. 1. Tickets, $1.00, 75c, 50c. Followed by dancing. Tickets on sale at Abare's drug store

The office of Sewall E. Newman has leased the house No. 8 Mystic avenue owned by Mr. Horatio N. Hovey to Mr. Powell of the Boston Journal.

The flag on the Common was at half mast on Wednesday in respect to the late Charles W. Bradstreet, who was a former member of the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Will Case, son of Mrs. Henry J. Winde, and formerly a resident of Winchester, was on from New York during the holidays visiting his mother and renewing old acquaintances.

The STAR acknowledges the receipt of its annual gift from Mr. Frank A. Cutting of his large calendar. As in former years the calendar portrays one of Mr. Cutting's modern freight cars used for the transportation of his hemlock bark.

Among the attractive calendars distributed about town this season are those of F. A. Newth and Parker & Lane Co.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Louis Barta announces the engagement of her daughter, Elinor C., to Mr. Clarence Ainslee Fultz, Harvard 1906.

On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Ripley announced the engagement of their daughter, Florence Woodbury, to Dr. Harry Snow Parsons of Boston.

Mrs. Louis Barta entertained Mrs. Atwood and daughter Ina, from New York over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. T. E. Thompson and her mother, Mrs. Moody, attended the Thompson family reunion at the Algonquin Club, Christmas night.

Mrs. Clara B. Nolde, who makes her home with her cousin, Mrs. Joseph Kennedy, suffered a shock of apoplexy last week in Sullivan square while returning from a shopping tour in Boston. She is quite ill but comfortable.

Dr. and Mrs. Cummings entertained over Christmas Mrs. Cummings' sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Wagg of Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Blackminster of Malden.

Agreements have been signed through the office of Sewall E. Newman for the sale of the home No. 35 Church street by the heirs of Miss Elizabeth Chapin. The purchaser is Dr. Henry J. Olmsted.

The members of the senior and junior classes of the high school will present "Tommy's Wife" in the Town Hall this Friday evening. Dancing will follow the play.

Winners of Young's "Free Guessing Contest" are as follows: 1st prize, Mrs. Hanscom, 10 Dix street, 3 pound box of chocolates; 2nd prize, Mrs. Trapnell, 12 Winchester place, 2 pound box of chocolates; 3rd prize, Miss Helen Murphy, 396 Main street, 1 pound box of chocolates. Number of beans in jar, 802.

Remember the date Jan. 8, at 8 o'clock. The music will please you. Tickets will be on sale at Knight's drug store on the day of the performance.

If the American Express company keeps its minimum rate for suburban service at twenty cents, it means more business for the expressmen not in the trust who charge fifteen cents for the same service.

After the first of January, on orders received from the Boston & Maine railroad, the time tables will not be published in the Somerville Journal or any other newspaper. The railroad officials state that this action is for the sake of economy, and for the first time in many years the public will be unable to find out the time of arrival and departure of trains by glancing at a newspaper.—(Somerville Journal.) As the STAR believes these time tables to be of much convenience to the public, in all probability they will continue to be published, for the present at least, regardless of remuneration from the Boston & Maine Railroad.

Mrs. Clarina S. Stone of Westboro, mother of Mrs. D. Augustine Newton of this town, passed away on Saturday after a long illness. The services were held Tuesday, the interment being at Sturbridge, Mass.

The High school theatricals which takes place tonight at the Town Hall will be exceptionally good. The dress rehearsal Wednesday night went off with a snap and vim characteristic of a regular performance, the whole cast going through their parts with zest and abandon. It is unfortunate that the performance occurs on the same night with a number of other social affairs which may affect the attendance, but the plays are not long and anyone wishing to see them and at the same time keep other engagements can easily do so, as both the plays, "Tommy's Wife" and Miss Squeers' Tea Party" will be over before 10 o'clock.

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THE SCHOOLS.

Prof. Currier Objects to Statements in Last Week's Star.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

During the ten years of my residence in Winchester I do not recall having seen in The STAR a more injudicious article than the letter by Rev. Mr. Suter in your last issue. A dozen or more questions and statements are quoted but there is not the remotest indication that he possesses the smallest amount of evidence to establish their truth or falsity, or that his informants are any better posted than himself. And yet he gives currency to these utterances by publishing them in the local paper, with comments which imply that he regards them as likely to be based on facts. At any rate, several of our most intelligent townspeople tell me that this is the impression his letter makes on them.

Mr. Suter is a man who enjoys, and deservedly enjoys, from his past and present position and services in the community, the respect and confidence of large numbers of individuals, and anything printed over his signature is bound to command attention. It is, therefore, all the more necessary that his words should be well guarded; and especially is this true with reference to the schools, since his long service on the school committee gives an added weight to whatever he has to say on that subject. It strikes me that it might have been well to have verified his points before rushing into print with them.

The quotations and comments divide themselves into two classes: first, broad and glittering generalities; and, secondly, more or less specific charges. The first I shall waste no time over; no two persons would agree on what is meant by "school spirit," "local pride," etc., or as to whether they do or do not exist. Let us turn, then, to the tangible things.

1. The loss of teachers. It is insinuated that good teachers leave us, not solely because of larger salaries elsewhere, but also because of dissatisfaction with Winchester conditions. I cannot recall a single instance of that nature in the last eight years. (I shall confine all my remarks chiefly to this period of time, because it covers the extent of my intimate knowledge of the schools.) If Mr. Suter or anybody else knows of such cases I should be glad to have him inform me of them; but I feel absolutely certain that he cannot do it. In a corps of fifty teachers it is not to be expected that every one will heartily agree in every detail of school management; but that we have actually lost a single teacher in the last eight years because of dissatisfaction with Winchester conditions, I emphatically deny.

2. Pupils of High School age sent away to other schools. They are sent; no one can deny it. But why are they sent? I dislike exceedingly to answer this question, but the issue is raised and I will meet it. The experience of the current year is typical, and the cases are as follows: One boy had been in the High School two years, had done good work, and was a perfectly satisfactory pupil. I am not aware that he or his parents found any fault with the school; but they did what I have repeatedly advised parents, who can afford it, as being, in my opinion, the ideal arrangement—to send a boy two years to the High School and then let him complete his preparation for college at some first class fitting school. I would advise this in any community, no matter how excellent the local High School might be. There are numerous strong arguments in favor of this combination, but I will not occupy space in elaborating them. So much for one boy. Of the five other cases, one pupil had failed of graduation, one had failed once of promotion, and the remaining three had failed twice. Mr. Suter repeatedly refers to the low standard of scholarship in the schools; if the standard is already low, it would be an awful pity to make it still lower for the sake of keeping such pupils in the schools.

It has always been rather surprising to me, in a town like Winchester, with so many families in more than comfortable circumstances, not that so many boys are sent to fitting schools to prepare for college, but that so few are sent. At the risk of seeming to be personal, let us take Mr. Suter's own case. He sent his two boys to Groton, and he sent them there, not because of the good or bad state of the Winchester High School, but they were destined for Groton from the day they were born. It is a Church school, and a most excellent school; and if one can afford the school charges of $850 a year, one will surely get one's money's worth. And just as Mr. Suter had perfectly justifiable grounds for sending his boys to Groton, why may not other parents have equally good reasons for sending their children to Exeter, Andover, Abbot, and similar schools?

Moreover, there is no comparison between Groton and any High School, Winchester or any other. The Winchester High School has a four-years course of study; it has nine teachers for 250 pupils; in 1907 (I do not have the statistics for 1908) it graduated a class of 37, 18 of whom went to thirteen diferent higher institutions — two normal schools, two scientific schools, and nine colleges—imposing, with their varying requirements for admission, a very heavy burden on the High School. Groton has a six-years course of study; it has twenty teachers for 160 pupils; and practically all its pupils are fitting for one college. But do the Groton graduates, with their remarkably superior advantages, always pass all their entrance examinations for college? Do they never receive conditions? And when they are conditioned, do we cry from the housetops, "What is the matter with Groton?" Is it not more pertinent to inquire, "What is the matter with the boy?"

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BUSINESS MEN'S CONFERENCE.

Last Sunday the Conference at the First Baptist Chapel was a large one. Mr. Lord proved to be, as formerly, a very interesting speaker. Many of the men present took part in the discussion and much interest was shown in the subject under discussion, "Child Labor Reform." Next Sunday noon Mr. Lord will give the last of his talks on this subject and even a larger audience than last Sunday will listen to him.

"Women and Industry" will be taken up next, taking four Sundays and led by a prominent woman of national fame. Subjects are, "Working Women," "Women's Wages," "Effects on Home Life," "Sweating and Consumers' League." Conference begins at 12 o'clock and closes at 1, sharp.

Winchester Public Library.

Dec. 31, 1908—Jan. 16, 1909.

The Library Art Club. Boydell's Illustrations of Shakspeare. Part 4.

John Boydell was born in England in 1719. He became a successful engraver and publisher, and to his liberality and persevering industry may be attributed the perfection reached by British engravers. He formed an extensive plan for the encouragement of painting—the illustration of Shakspeare with engravings from pictures painted by the most eminent English artists, combining in one series of pictures and engravings all the best talent of the English pencil and burin. This required an immense outlay of time and money. It was commenced in 1785, and finished in 1804, in which year Boydell died. 34 painters and 33 engravers were engaged in the work, and each was given his own time and price. The enormous expense involved Boydell in bankruptcy, but he was supported by the wealthy English nobility until the work was completed and published, at a price of $1000 per copy for the first 300 impressions.

In 1848 Mr. S. Spooner, an American, purchased the worn copper plates for $50 000, had them recut, and an edition issued, of which these prints are examples.

It was the intention of Mr. Boydell that the original paintings should be preserved in a building erected for their exhibition, but he was obliged to dispose of them, and the collection was scattered. Only one example, Benjamin West's King Lear, now in the Boston Art Museum, has ever come to America.

THOMAS J. CHOATE.

Thomas J. Choate passed away on Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Herbert E. Butler, on Hancock street, in his 88th year. He was born in Luenburg, Nov. 13, 1821. He learned the bookbinder's trade and was for many years with S. H. Sanborn in Boston. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. N. Lombard of Dedham and Mrs. Herbert E. Butler of this town.

Funeral services were held from the house, 18 Hancock street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the interment was at Arlington.

A. O. U. W.

Winchester Lodge No. 158 A. O. U. W. have a public installation of its new officers on Friday evening the fifteenth of Jan.

Addresses by the Grand Lodge officers, floor work by the degree team of Winter Hill lodge will comprise the entertainment, to be followed by a light collation and dancing.

Tickets may be had from members, but all are welcome.

The lodge has had a prosperous year, under the direction of Master Workman M. W. Morgan, several new members having been added to the number.

The officers earnestly hope that all of the member will be present and help to make the occasion a memorable one.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYS.

Clever Performance of Two Bright Farces by Members of the Senior and Junior Classes.

"Tommy's Wife," a farce in three acts by Marie Josephine Warren.

Tommy Carrothers, Russel Keehn '09
Rose Carothers, Emma Farnsworth '10
Dick Grannis, Theodore Main '09
Patty Campbell, Dorothy Ayer '09
Mrs. De Yorburgh Smith, Joan Newell '09
Sylvia Smith, Ruth Lawrence '10
Pierre LeBouton, Eliott Barta '10
Edith Bronson, Dorothea Chase '09

followed by "Miss Squeers Tea Party," a sketch from Nicholas Nickelby, arranged for stage production by Sylvester H. Taylor

Fanny Squeers, Joan Newell '09
Tilda Price, Dorothea Chase '09
Nicholas Nickelby, Eliott Barta '10
John Browdie, Theodore Main '10

"Tommy's Wife" has been performed in and around Boston a number of times since it was written in 1905, by more or less clever amateurs, but never, we venture to say with more snap and intelligence than as done at the Winchester Town Hall last Friday night, Jan. 1st, by the pupils of the High School, cast in the parts above mentioned.

The shabby and inadequate scenery of the Town Hall stage helped out by contributions of pictures, furniture, rugs and hangings from various private residences was gave some semblance of an artists studio and Russell Keehn as the ubiquitous Thomas Crothers, the artist who was compelled to have a wife by the exigencies of the situation kept the audience in a gale of laughter by the ludicrous mistakes he was continually making. Joan Newell as Mrs. DeYorburgh Smith, the "leader of society with twenty millions in the bank" was an excellent dowager and gave to the character ample force and dignity to balance the frivolities of Mr. Carothers. Eliott Barta as a young Frenchman in search of a girl, Sylhim. Dorothy Ayer, Ruth Lawrence, Emma Farnsworth, Dorothea Chase whom he had met and loved while in Paris and whom he now believes to be Tommy's wife, was capital. His accent and appearance were equally Parisien along with his desire to make love to pretty girls and fight duels with anyone who thwarted him. Dorothy Ayer, Ruth Lawrenie, Emma Farnsworth, Dorthea Chase and Theodore Main were all good in the parts in which they were cast, which though small, were important as feeders to the principals, and had these parts not been so well done the play would not have been the smooth well balanced performance it was.

There are a number of funny situations in the play, improbable in real life, but never-the-less very laughable and these all went off with a smoothness and snap that told of careful rehearsing and pains-taking work. In the end Tommy gets the wife he wants, the Frenchman gets his sweetheart and Mrs. DeYorburgh Smith gets a duke for a son-in-law and so all ends happy.

"Miss Sqeer's Tea Party" has been performed in Winchester by experienced amateurs, who, it was thought at the time, got out of the juveniles suffered nohing by comparison with that of their more mature and experienced predecessors. Every one of the four characters was so well done that there is little to choose between them. Theodore Main as the slow witted and heavy John Browdie, filled his role to perfection. Eliott Barta made a handsome and courtly Nicholas, who was quite ready to flirt with the pretty Tilda Price, who, as acted by Dorothea Chase, showed all the mischievousness of which a woman is capable when she has a chance to win an admirer away from her less accomplished "dearest friend." But Joan Newell, as Fanny Squeers, on whom the bulk of the work fell, fairly outdid herself. Her Looks of rapture at the thought of having the handsome Nicholas for an attendant swain, her uncontrolable anger and jealousy at seeing the young man angled broke up in a row and she realized that she had completely disgusted he man she had set out to catch, were performed with a cleverness and an abandon worthy of a professional. The audience was in a gale of laughter throughout the sketch and round after round of applause greeted the drop of the final curtain.

Miss Bishop's orchestra of ladies furnished diverting music between the acts and for dancing after the performance. A corps of ushers under Harry A. Collins '09 had charge of the front of the house and Mr. Charles Harold did good service in making up the characters and taking charge of scenery and properties.

The entire production was under the direction of Mr. Sylvester Taylor who was the recipient of many compliments and congratulations from members of the audience on the great success of the plays.

The audience was large and enthusiastic and a large part of it remained to enjoy the dancing which lasted until midnight.

ARCANUM OFFICERS INSTALLED.

A pleasing feature of the installation of the newly elected officers of Aberjona Council, 1002, Royal Arcanum, Tuesday evening, was that it was public, and this served to bring out a large number of members and many of their friends. The installing officer was S. D. G. Regent E. D. Byron, and suite. Other prominent officers present were, John J. Hogan, past grand regent of Massachusetts and past grand regent George Tilley of Rhode Island. For his faithful work during the past year the retiring regent, J. H. Mosher, was presented with a handsome jewel. Remarks were made by the visitors after which a collation was served, followed by a very social and pleasant season, which was enjoyed by all.

The officers installed were:

Chas. Lawson, Regent; O. W. Houghton, Vice Regent; J. F. Romkey, Orator; J. H. Mosher, P. Regent; Warren F. Foster, Sec.; John G. Hovey, Collector; F. A. Parshley, Treasurer; W. D. Erskine, Chaplain; J. O. Howard, Guide; J. G. Webber, Warden; F. H. Swan, Sentry; F. E. H. Heath, P. Regent, Trustee 3 years; Warren F. Foster P. Regent, Rep. to G. Counsel; F. E. H. Heath, P. Regent, Alternate.

REV. DR. AND MRS. CHAFFEE RECEIVE.

At the Methodist parsonage, Tuesday evening, Dr. and Mrs. John R. Chaffee tendered a New Year's reception to the parish and friends, which proved a most delightful occasion. About ninety guests partook of Dr. and Mrs. Chaffee's hospitality, which included refreshments and an enjoyable entertainment consisting of selections, musical and recitative, interspersed throughout the evening. The program included mandolin solos by Master Harold Dover, accompanied by his brother, Alfred Dover, piano solos by Miss Mina Hartley, and reading by Miss Ethel Clay, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Nestor Davis. Miss Clay's selection, "Ben Hassan's Dream," was most ably rendered and evoked particular attention and applause. Dr. Chaffee was the recipient of universal congratulations upon the good work he has accomplished in greatly increasing the membership of the church.

IMPORTANT EVENT IN MASONARY.

Last evening was a very important one in Masonic circles in this town owing to the public installation of the newly elected officers of William Parkman Lodge. The large number of members of the craft present did not include only members of the local lodge but Masons, resident in Winchester, but connected with other lodges and also many visitors from surrounding cities and towns. The many ladies present took a deep interest in the impressive proceedings and no doubt many of them carried away a view they never before entertained of this organization.

After the exercises refreshments were served followed by dancing.

The retiring Master, Frank F. Carpenter, was presented with a handsome past master's jewel.

The officers installed were announced in last week's STAR.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

A most enjoyable musical program has been arranged for next Monday, which is "Guest Day" at The Fortnightly. A recital of music under the direction of Cedelia M. Cox, soloist; Miss Martha F. B. Hawes, contralto; Mr. John Little, violoncellist. Accompanists: Mrs. John Little, Miss Pearl G. Libby.

Social hour, refreshments. There will be no business meeting and attention is called to the time of commencement—three o'clock instead of 3.30 as usual.

ORGAN RECITAL.

Mr. J. Albert Wilson, at the first of a series of afternoon recitals to be held at the Church of the Epiphany next Sunday afternoon at 4.15 p. m. will play the following program:

Fantasia and Fugue in G minor — J. S. Bach

Cantilene Pastorale — H. M. Higgs

(a) Allegro (b) Adagio — (variations) (From Symphonie vi) — Charler M. Widor

Festival March — Ralph Kinder

CHARLES E. L. WINGATE'S VIEWS ON SCHOOL MATTERS.

Advocates Certain Lines of Development and Analyzes the High School Preparation for College Examinations.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

As my name has been mentioned in connection with the coming election of the School Committee, and as I am now serving by appointment on the Committee, I feel that I should state some of my views on school matters and then leave it to the citizens of Winchester to decide whether they wish to have me on the Board or not. As a matter of personal preference I should be very glad to retire to make room for a better committee-man, but if I am elected then I shall work, as far as practicable, along the lines I will give below.

The leading question just at present in our school system is the High School situation. I do not believe that a high school should be conducted chiefly to fit boys for college. The high school belongs to the whole people and it should give first of all, a practical, common-sense education, fitted to the great majority of boys and girls and not to the few who can go to college. If it were chiefly guided into preparing a limited number of young men to take higher examinations, it would not be doing justice to the citizens of the town and would not be accomplishing its best purpose of training and educating the large number of future citizens who will not enjoy college privileges. The High School should bring the greatest good to the greatest number.

But, inside of these lines, any town of the character of Winchester should have a high school that can rank well in comparison with other high schools in its college preparation as well as in its general work.

There has been more or less criticism of the High School, in part just, in part unjust. The Winchester High School is not going to the eternal bow-wows by any means. But it can be strengthened. It is known that a number of our boys leave the High School for the preparatory schools. I do not believe, however, that this leaving is, as a rule, primarily because our High School system is defective. Boys are sent to preparatory schools for various reasons—because their fathers went there, because it is better that they should be away from social diversions, because they are slow in their studies and need constant oversight in their work, because they are apt to take school life too easily and flippantly where the classes are part girls and part boys, because they need to be thrown among a set of young fellows from all over the country who will broaden out the boy, making him more manly and self-reliant. All these are good reasons.

Beyond that also the preparatory school can give the boy a better fitting for college than can any high school and it is therefore, the best place for that young man who is either very bright and can therefore, make the most of his advantages, or who needs to be put under the constant force of pushing instruction, in order to develop the best that is in him.

Our High School cannot compete with an academy and need not. But it should not turn out boys who are at least a half-year behind the corresponding grades in the academy. They should be nearer than that. It looks very much at the present time as if the average boy was about a half-year behind in his actual knowledge—not in the ground covered but in the training he has received and in the acquirement of fundamental knowledge.

There should be a remedy for this. I believe it can be found in having more men instructors for the boys, in having the boys separated from the girls in their classes as far as possible, and in having both the boys and the girls taught better how to study.

The first step in this direction would be the engaging of an alert, zealous, ambitious young man, to be added to the present force and to be selected with the idea not simply of teaching a subject well but of getting in closest touch with the pupils, of inspiring them with his ambition and his earnestness, of leading them, through respect for his personality and his work, and of meeting them on the common ground of adviser and instructor. The enthusiasm of a leader creates enthusiasm among his followers, and there is nothing like personality to bring out the best results among his followers, and there is nothing like personality to bring out the best results from another.

The separation of the boys from the girls in the classrooms is, of course, a matter depending upon the finances of the town in providing teachers. When it is accomplished, or as it is accomplished, we will find the boys (and the girls, too) buckling down to their work better and sharper.

Then the main thing is to teach pupils how to study—how to study in the classroom and how to study at home. It does precious little good in the way of training to have a boy start his studying in the evening and then at intervals stop five or ten minutes to listen to conversation or to join in talk or to ramble in his work with his mind diverted in any way. Twenty lines of Latin learned by close, concentrated, continuous application give better training to the mind, better building up of the "how to get there" method of work, than a hundred lines read in a shambling, interrupted way. The boy who is taught to study with all the force of his mind concentrated on the one subject at hand, is taught to accomplish in the quickest possible time any object he undertakes; that same teaching, lasting into his business or professional life, will help him accomplish anything that can be accomplished.

I may modify a great many of my views on school matters—I probably shall, for I have a great deal to learn about them—but I should not change these foundation stones of opinion.

I will add that I have looked into some of the problems of our High School in connection with its fitting for college and find the following facts.

During the past five years 35 of our High School boys and girls have taken examinations for higher institutions, (not including one who, refused a certificate, tried and failed.) In the same period 43 went to higher institutions on certificates. We can ignore considering the second set, in trying to find out just what the High School has or has not done, as there is no test applied by certificates.

Of the 35 who took examinations, 4 failed. This does not seem to be a large percentage of failure.

The next point, therefore, is to see in what particulars our High School graduates who enter college fall short of perfection in their college examinations. I have, therefore, compiled a list of the subjects passed and the subjects failed, as below. This covers the list with the exception of the graduates who went to Normal Schools and to the Boston University and who, I understand, entered without conditions.

Of the 26 students who entered Harvard, Yale and Technology on their first trials

4 entered with no conditions.
9 entered with one condition
3 entered with two conditions
3 entered with three conditions
4 entered with four conditions
3 entered with five conditions

The four who failed on the first trials entered on later examinations, under varying conditions.

The next question, therefore is: Out of the students who went to higher institutions, how many were obliged to drop out within a year after entering the college, as that would indicate that their preparation for continuing had been poor. So far as I can learn, not one left college specifically for this reason.

The further interesting point to notice is the subjects in which students received conditions.

Table of Conditions.

Chemistry	0 conditions
Greek	1 condition
Logarithms	1 condition
Physics	2 conditions
Latin	3 conditions
History	4 conditions
Geometry	6 conditions
English	7 conditions
Algebra	8 conditions
German	11 conditions
French	12 conditions

It would seem evident to me that before adding any new branches to our High School course we should strengthen the weak points shown in this tabulation. But because there are weak points we do not need to assume that the whole structure is weak. With proper strengthening of the school work in certain lines, a bright scholar, or a faithful student, can get into college very well from the Winchester High School. No school can make the bright boys. But it can train boys to be faithful students and to be successful, so far as their capabilities admit, not only in school but in business and in life.

Charles E. L. Wingate.

January 6, 1909.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Burgess of Glen road are the parents of a son, born this morning.

John Abbott, Esq., positively declines to be a candidate for a position on the School Board.

THE SCHOOLS.

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3. The standard of scholarship. I agree with Mr. Suter that the editorial in The STAR made extravagant claims for the Winchester schools: personally I would not care to go beyond the carefully guarded statement in the report of the school committee for 1907: "The schools are on the whole in good condition and the results are to a considerable extent satisfactory." I think that assertion is true; at any rate, it does not err in claiming educational leadership. But while I concede that our standards are not so high as they should be and can be, they certainly are not low, and what is more, they have been persistently and regularly raised during the past few years. But there is still abundant room for improvement. There have been criticisms in the past as well as now, and I hope there will be criticisms in the future; but let the criticisms be based on knowledge and not on petty gossip and idle rumor; let us have facts and not insinuations; let us have suggested ways of improvement and not be simply censorious; in other words, let us have constructive and not destructive criticism.

4. This letter is already too long, but I plead the importance of the subject as an excuse for going on, and saying something more about standards. When I was elected to the school board in 1901, I had heard a good deal about school conditions in Winchester; but instead of accepting as gospel truth the slurs of Tom, Dick and Harry, I undertook a little investigation of my own and did considerable school visiting. The school committee went into the matter, and after prolonged and thorough study and discussion of the subject we made numerous changes, only a few of which can be referred to here.

At the Wadleigh School, Latin, French, Algebra, Geometry and Elementary Physics were being taught; and, not satisfied with adding these subjects, the committee had reduced the course in the grades to eight years—more subjects and less time. In a report of the State Board of Education of a few years before, there is a statement from Winchester that the children were "starving under the old régime;" I was unable to discover that they were getting very fat under the new, with its so-called "enrichment." However that may be, the committee eliminated the Latin, French, Geome- [illegible] ed the [illegible] course, [illegible] of what [illegible] cut out [illegible] m well aware that many good people felt that we had taken a terrible step backward, but for my own part, I have never for a moment regretted the action. True, the Wadleigh graduates of today are not prodigies of learning, but they are better trained in grammar school work than were those of six or eight years ago; every year some advance has been made, and I trust that in the next few years still greater gains may be noted.

At the High School eight years ago there was absolute freedom of election in the choice of studies, with very disastrous results; and four kinds of diplomas were granted: four-year, three-year, two-year and special, the first three being given for four, three and two years of work respectively, while the special diploma, as I am informed, indicated mainly faithful attendance and good behavior, and represented absolutely nothing in scholarship. The committee abolished all but the four-year diploma, increased the requirements for securing that, laid out carefully planned courses of study, with a good share of the subjects in each prescribed, and established various rules and regulations designed to produce a higher grade of High School work. But here, too, we have not attained perfection yet; each year a little more has been exacted, and the screws can continue to be gradually turned tighter and tighter for some time to come.

5. Admission examinations to college. This topic is closely connected with the preceding. As a rule the High School graduates have done creditably on these examinations, and have, in many instances, maintained an exceptionally high standing in college. But we have had a few of the other kind also. In the past eight years I have made it a point to post myself on every case of loss of pupils from the High School to go to other schools, and on the entrance examination records and college standing of the graduates who entered higher institutions. The showing is, in the main, no discredit to the High School, but quite the contrary. There are two or three, not more than three, regrettable exceptions; but even in those cases the fault was more with the boys than with the school. I wish they had not occurred; but they did occur, and the best service they can render now is to act as warnings for the future, warnings for the school and warnings for pupils.

6. Lack of confidence in the schools. One test of confidence is the support given to the schools by sending or not sending the children to them. A few years ago I had occasion to compare the attendance in Winchester, both in the grades and in the High School, with the attendance in the other 353 towns and cities of the Commonwealth; and I found that in both respects our attendance, in proportion to population, was amongst the very highest; in the High School, for example, we were one of the first four, but it was impossible to determine our exact position among the four on account of the difficulty in securing precise data regarding the other three places. We still have a very large attendance, larger than ever before; whether or not other places have forged ahead of us of late, I cannot say; and an investigation takes too much time for me to repeat it now.

7. "A system by which all teachers of the same grade shall be teaching the same subject out of the same book at the same hour." This, or anything like it, does not exist. Mr. Suter's informants on this, and on the other features of his letter, must have found him more credulous than I ever supposed him to be.

I think I have taken up every item in Mr. Suter's letter that is sufficiently specific to lend itself to discussion. And in closing I beg the pardon of the Editor for occupying so much space, and crave the indulgence of my readers, if I have any, for trying their patience with so long a communication. But to the parents of 1800 children, and to the taxpayers who contribute $55,000 a year for the support of schools, the cause of education comes home in a very personal and very practical manner. I do not want to convey, for a moment, the idea that our schools are perfect or any where near it; they have some serious faults, which I trust may be remedied; but the way to remedy them is not by spreading broadcast the vaporings of ill-formed and uninformed busybodies, but rather by first ascertaining the facts and then to lend one's aid in instituting the necessary reforms. Anybody can pull down; it takes a genius to build up; and most of us are not geniuses. All that we average mortals can hope to do is to contribute each his own small part toward advancing the common weal.

CHARLES F. A. CURRIER.

Winchester, January 4, 1909.

SALAMANDERS CAUSED FIRE ALARM.

An alarm of fire was rung in last Saturday night from a most peculiar cause. It appears that residents in the neighborhood of the new house being built for Mr. Joseph Remnick on Cambridge street near Glen road, noticed what appeared to them to be a fire burning inside the house. As a considerable quantity of smoke seemed to be coming from the house also, word was telephoned to the central fire station, from which place Box 57 was sounded.

As the fire apparatus approached the scene the firemen thought the building was all ablaze inside and laid a length of hose in short time, but when they went to find the fire they found that it was well protected by numerous salamanders, used to dry the damp plaster. The glow from these small stoves, which were placed plentifully throughout the house, caused the interior to appear all ablaze from the outside, while the steam of the drying plaster floating off in the cold night air could not be told from smoke. As the premises did not seem to be in any way doomed to destruction by fire, they were left in their former state.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

There has been considerable agitation of late in the outlying wards of Boston against the violation of license regulations by the druggists, many of whom derive a large share of their support from liquor sold nominally for medicinal purposes but really for other use since the bulk of the "prescriptions" are used on Sunday when the saloons are closed. Druggists' licenses are given for a merely nominal sum, one dollar being all that is required to obtain one, less than the most insignificant peddler has to pay before presenting his innocuous wares to the public. Dorchester druggists are said to be the ones most guilty of this traffic and as that is Mayor Hibbard's own section he will have an opportunity of expressing himself on the subject.

Word has come to the headquarters of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U. concerning the great success Mrs. Katherine Lente Stevenson is having on her mission around the world. In Hawaii she was accorded an enthusiastic welcome and has made many addresses. Massachusetts is confident that she will do credit to her home commonwealth in any position, but it is glad to have her opinion indorsed.

MRS. ELIZABETH HOGAN.

Mrs. Elizabeth (Kelley) Hogan, wife of John Hogan, a cutter, passed away Monday morning at Stoneham at the age of 68. Mrs. Hogan recently moved from Winchester to Stoneham.

She is survived by a husband, two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Cogan and Mrs. E. W. Hemingway, and five grandchildren.

The funeral services took place Wednesday morning at St. Patrick's Church. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Montvale.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

The first public installation of the officers of Winchester Court, M. C. O. F., one of the youngest courts of the order in Massachusetts, in Lyceum Hall last Sunday afternoon, was witnessed by a large gathering of representatives of the high court, standing committee, officers, deputies and members of courts in surrounding cities, as well as by a considerable number of nonmembers of the order.

The installation work was performed by John F. McCarthy, the chief ranger-elect of Mystic court of Medford, assisted by the uniformed ladies' degree staff of Alma Mater court of East Boston, followed by a drill by the degree staff under the direction of Drill Master Joseph L. Daisy PCR of Bunker Hill court of Charlestown.

The degree staff of Alma Mater court was led by Miss Annie Fennelly captain, and the other members were Miss Gertrude H. Walsh, Miss Alice Cutcliffe, Mrs. Julia Walsh, Mrs. Josephine McKenna, Mrs. Elizabeth Merrigan, Mrs. Catherine Ellis, Mrs. Mary F. O'Neil, Miss Mary Crawford, Mrs. Mary A. Berry, Mrs. Mary A. Garvey, Mrs. Margaret L. Hill, Mrs. M. C. B. Donohue, Mrs. M. O'Neil, Mrs. Ellen M. Power, Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Mrs. Emma Walker, Mrs. Adelaide A. Douglass, who presided at the piano.

The following officers were installed: Mr. David Meskell, Chief Ranger; Andrew Donald, Chief Vice Ranger; Robert McGuinity, Rec. Sec.; Mary McGuinity, Fin. Sec.; Mr. Patrick J. Mooney, Treas.; Mary J. Mooney, Senior Conductor; Margaret O'Leary, Junior Conductor.

After the installation of officers there was speaking by the new Chaplain, Rev. Walter J. Roche, also by Major Leonard, High Sec., Treas. Mr. John McCarthy of Medford and Mr. Daily of West Medford and others. Refreshments were then served.

Chief Ranger David A. Meskell presented Patrick Mooney with a framed picture in recognition of his activity during the year. The reports of the officers showed that the court had doubled its membership in three months.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

The number of newcomers, all of the highest character, being introduced at Keith's Theatre in recent weeks, has been noticeable and the week of January 11th will be even more so. One of these is that elaborate spectacle, "The Naked Truth," in which Harry Davenport and Phyllis Rankin have been making one of the biggest successes in their careers. This is one of the greatest novelties of its kind that has ever been written, the feature of which, that calls for the most comment, being the disrobing of the Scotch soldier in plain view of the audience, where for every lie he tells he losses part of his clothing. After a time this also happens to Miss Rankin to the great embarrassment of both herself and the audience. The entire sketch is full of good musical numbers beside the splendid comedy.

There will also be a welcome for Ryan and Richfield, of "Mag Haggerty's father" fame.

Lisle Leigh & Co. in a sketch; Kremka Brothers; Fred Sosman; the Brittons; El Cota; Kelley and Ashby and the Van Dykes, nearly all of which are new here, coming after a great success in New York.

TREMONT THEATRE

Of all the triumphs that the popular Tremont Theatre has housed, none has proved as popular as the Ziegfeld musical revue "Follies of 1908," which is now packing that playhouse.

The Boston critics enthused as they never did before over an entertainment of this kind.

The cast, which is the most eminent ever seen in a musical organization, and which contains many well-known stars, includes Bickel and Watson, Jack Norworth, Arthur Deagon, Billie Reeves, Wm. Schrode, Wm. Powers, Seymour Brown, Aline Boley, Vi. Bowers, Pauline Thorne, Edith Daniels, Grace Leigh, Annabelle Whitford and Dazie, and as a special feature, Nora Bayes.

Some of the beauty girls are the "Neil Brinkley," "Taxicab," "Rooster," "Mosquito," "Drummer," "Navy" and Ziegfeld's "Dancing Dolls."

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THE MIDNIGHT ANTHEM.

I sat within my room on New Year's eve,
And hear two choirs singing
Over the streets, with turmoil lately filled,
Their glorious music ringing.
And on my heart there steals a restful calm
Like the soft soothing of some healing balm.

Alternately they sing, now loud, now soft,
And now together blending:
The one fast fades into the passing night
Like a low requiem's ending;
Singing in minor strains a last farewell—
The distant tolling of a solemn bell.

Farther and fainter sounds the waning chords
Of the departing singers.
Louder and nearer, in pure, joyous notes
Approach the sweet light-bringers.
Jubilant they hail the coming of the day
Ushering the New Year on its golden way.

To me, the music of the old and new
Seem like the words of sages.
The years gone by, the years to come are one,
The chorus of the ages;
The harmony of life, enriched by time,
Grows to an oratorio sublime.

The past is never dead; it lives again
In all the new day's glory.
The message of the two are but a part
Of the eternal story;
Unfolding ever clearer, as the ages move,
The hidden secrets of the Father's love.

S. WINCHESTER ADRIANCE.

NEW SPEAKER OF THE MASS. HOUSE.

At the organization of the Mass. House Wednesday, Joseph Walker of Brookline was elected speaker.

JOSEPH WALKER

Joseph Walker, representing the Second Norfolk District in the Massachusetts House, is a resident of Brookline. He was born in Worcester July 13, 1865, a son of Hon. Joseph H. Walker, who for many years represented the Worcester Congressional District in Congress at Washington.

Joseph Walker was educated at Phillips Exeter Academy and Brown University, class of 1887, where he received the degree of A. B., Harvard Law School, class of 1890, with a degree of LL. B., and Harvard College, 1890, with a degree of A. M. Mr. Walker was admitted to the Suffolk bar in 1889. He is a member of the Loyal Legion, served on the Brookline School Committe, 1897-1903 (Secretary,) is also a member of the Education Society of Brookline, of which he has been President; has also served on the Brookline Town Committtee three years, is a member of the Republican State Committee, and has served on the State Board of Charity as a trustee.

He is a lawyer by profession. He was first a member of the House in 1904, and last November was reelected for a sixth term. In that body he has served on the Rules, Ways, and Means (Chairman), State Accounts (special 1907, Chairman), Railroads (Chairman). He is also a member and President of the Republican Club of Massachusetts. He is married and has three children.

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What Happened in Winchester 30 Years Ago, or Thereabouts.

Taken From Old Files

Members of Winchester Fine Art Association gave a private exhibition at the residence of Mrs. Harrison Parker, Mt. Vernon street. Among the contributions was a large sketch of Uncle Solomon Fletcher, also sketches of Miss Virginia Robert, and Miss Martha Johnson. Miss H. A. Pressy contributed a crayon portrait of Mr. D. D. Patton, a former principal of the High school, and heads of Medusa and Jason. Miss Annie Wilder exhibited panel painting and Mrs. C. H. Cowdery a coast scene and flowers. Three hundred invitations were issued and the attendance was large.

Officer Richardson arrested a man from Arlington named Grant, for fishing in Mystic Pond, and at Grant's request went to Arlington with him to get money to settle the affair. Arriving in Arlington, Grant bolted, and Richardson, drew a pistol and threatened to shoot him. Grant was subsequently arrested and turned over to Richardson and went to jail for nonpayment of fine. Richardson was arrested for attempting to arrest Grant without a warrant, and threatening to shoot him. Richardson was adjudged not guilty by the court.

Workmen engaged in building the Mystic Valley railroad strike for an increase of 25 cents a day. Their pay was $1. Their places were filled.

Messrs Brooks & Dyer, druggists, suddenly close their store and leave town, because of trouble with the authorities.

Mr. C. O. Billings and wife, had a narrow escape from being seriously injured while driving through North Winchester, the horse being startled by a dog which flew at it.

Two houses on Grove street occupied by Messrs T. Symmes and Hosea Dunbar, were entered while the families were out. From Mr. Symmes' house, only a few lengths of lead pipe was taken.

In view of the alarming increase of places where liquors are illegally sold, the police appeared before the Board of Selectmen for consultation in regard to the situation. The result was said to be that the law breakers would not much longer enjoy the immunity from trouble which they have had.

Mr. E. Sanderson while practicing shooting fractured his shoulder by the recoil of the gun.

SUNDAY FORUM.

Editor of the Star:

The reference of your correspondent under title "Observations," to Business Men's Conferences, in your last week's issue, would seem to require an answer, as I fear he does not realize the nature and purpose of this new organization, known as Business Men's Sunday Noon Conference.

That the conferences will be productive of good no one at all familiar with the same can doubt. The interest manifested so far and the free discussion of the subject of Child Labor, amply proves it. What advantage could be gained by meeting at the Town Hall rather than the Baptist chapel as applying to what can be accomplished and a larger attendance is to our way of thinking, doubtful.

This conference is in reality a Sunday Forum for the discussion of Christian Socialism, so called, taking up one by one a few of its many phases. It is assumed that every American citizen, whether he admits it or not, considers all questions as applying to the welfare of man, first and always from the moral and religious side. First he tries to put himself in the position of the wronged one, and then he must apply the teachings of the man of Gallilee, the greatest moral teacher and socialist of all times.

These Social Problems are to be examined and discussed from this point of view, and the Winchester First Baptist Church is endeavoring to encourage this organization for this reason. If similar organizations are active in many cities and towns all over this broad land of ours, the meaning and significance of the movement may well make one think a bit.

The evenings now-a-days are so taken up it is quite impossible for men to get together as in days gone by when lyceums and debating clubs were popular, and so it seems as if the Sunday noon hour was really a most favorable time. A man is at ease, the business cares of the week can be set aside and his mind is free, clear and receptive. It ought to be an excellent tonic for any man to spend an hour once a week meeting his fellow citizens, and digging into the great problems of life.

During the next few months many prominent leaders of national reputation, both men and women, will lead the discussions, along the lines they have made a life study of, as experts. The opportunity afforded the citizens of Winchester to see and hear these leaders I am sure will be taken advantage of, while it is also equally true that the privilege of talking before Winchester men by these leaders will be highly prized. A glance at the following list of subjects will bear out the point I desire to make:

Child Labor, Women in Industry, Wealth and Capital. The Organization of Labor, Tenement House Life, The Single Tax, Garden Cities and Other Remedies, Civic Corruption, Public Utilities, Immigration, Foreign Relations, The Race Question, Labor Conditions, Prison Reform, Temperance, Marriage and Divorce.

So, my friend, come and see for yourself if our present meeting place isn't the best possible for the purpose, and through you, and I know the executive committee, of which I am a member, will concur with me, I take pleasure in inviting each and every thoughtful citizen of Winchester, for I know there are many such. Come gentlemen, to this Sunday (Noon) Forum at the Baptist Chapel.

W. D. Eldredge.

TO WAR AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS.

The Middlesex East District Medical Society's Committee to act with the associated committees of the Massachusetts Medical Society for the relief of tuberculosis is composed of the following members:

*Ernest B. Emerson, North Reading, Chairman
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Charles W. Averell, North Reading
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MESSAGE TO LEGISLATURE

Governor Draper Touches on Improvement In Business

SO-CALLED CONTINGENT DEBT

Names of Two Classes of It Should Be Corrected—Education and Highways Receive Attention—Changes In Automobile Legislation—Old-Age Pension a National Proposition—Conservation of Forests—Treatment of Commissions

Boston, Jan. 7.—In his message to the legislature today Governor Draper says:

During the last year business conditions in the Commonwealth have not been good. Many people have been out of employment, and those who were employed have in many instances been obliged to work short time, because of the limited demand for the articles produced in our large manufacturing establishments.

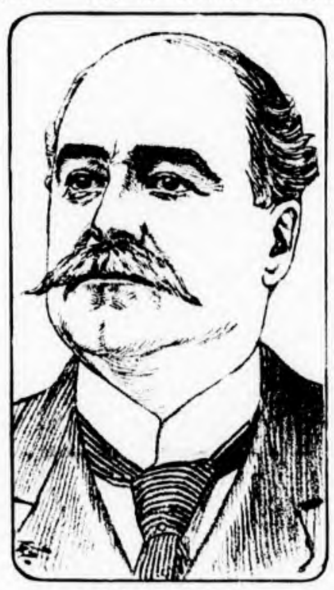
These conditions have obtained all over the United States, and in other nations as well.

At the present time there is a very marked improvement in business; many more people are being employed, and, while there is nothing in the way of a business boom, conditions are distinctly better, and the outlook is brighter than it has been during the last year.

Financial Condition.

The net direct debt, so called, of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the 1st of December, 1908, was $17,020,372.

In this direct debt is included $2,020,826 of the armory loan, transferred during the past year from the so-called contingent debt. Without this armory loan the direct net debt would be $15,648,546, or an increase of about $950,000 in the last ten years.



EBEN S. DRAPER

During this time the so-called contingent debt of the State has increased very rapidly, being, ten years ago, $29,893,112, while at the present time it is $69,428,223, showing an increase of $39,535,111 in ten years.

Substantially this entire debt, about $60,000,000, has been incurred during the last twenty years, and it is being paid by the people of the metropolitan district.

I do not understand why this debt of the Commonwealth is referred to as a contingent debt. It is a direct obligation of the Commonwealth, but it differs from the net direct debt, so called, in this: that for the payment of the net direct debt all the people of the State are taxed, while this so-called contingent debt is to be paid back to the State by the people of the metropolitan district.

The Commonwealth, however, is directly responsible for its payment, and has issued its own direct obligations for the money obtained.

The so-called contingent debt is for the money which was borrowed for the metropolitan water works, the metropolitan sewers, and for the construction of metropolitan parks, etc.

I believe better and more correct names for these two classes of debt would be "general debt" and "metropolitan debt."

Of this metropolitan debt, $40,500,000 has been incurred for the water supply, and ought not to be a burden on the community getting its benefits, as the water rates should more than pay all the expenses, interest, maintenance and sinking funds.

The sewer debt is of course a necessary burden upon the community which needs the sewers for a proper system to aid in the preservation of health.

The money expended for the metropolitan parks may have been a wise expenditure, but it is a very heavy burden.

State Tax.

The State tax for the year 1908 was $5,500,000. This direct State tax was the largest for a great many years, and, while it was made large to pay for necessary expenditures, I believe that appropriations should, for the coming year, be so made that a much smaller direct State tax should be required this year than last, and our best efforts should be used to bring about this result.

I conceive it my duty to urge on you at this time the importance of economy in all expenditures, making no appropriations where not absolutely needed, and exercising a most careful supervision of all expenses, so that our direct State tax, which bears heavily upon all the people, may be reduced as much as possible.

It goes without saying that where it is necessary to appropriate money for unavoidable enlargements or changes in our institutions for the care of the insane, sick, criminal and unfortunate such appropriations should be made, and no public-spirited citizen, I am sure, will object to a proper tax for such a purpose.

But I do think that no appropriations which are not absolutely needed for the proper care of the people should be made, in the present financial condition of the Commonwealth.

Taxation.

In the last few years different Governors have urged various methods of increasing the revenues of the State. Commissions and legislative committees have been appointed to bring in recommendations for new laws which should effect this result.

While these reports have been made by very able men, both on the commissions and legislative committees, the only recent recommendation on taxation of those made by them or by Governors, which has been enacted into law, has been the law relating to the taxation of direct inheritances.

The Legislature has shown, by its action in raising by a direct tax whatever money was needed in addition to our regular revenue for paying the running expenses of the State, that that method was satisfactory to it.

The direct State tax for the payment of the running expenses of the Commonwealth has one great virtue, in that it calls to the attention of the people of every town and city the amount of money appropriated by the Legislature for State expenditures.

Under these circumstances, and realizing the fact that many suggestions and recommendations that have been made by Governors for increasing the State's revenue have not been adopted by the Legislature, I have at this time no suggestions to make for changing the existing method of taxation.

Recess Committee.

Many able committees have been appointed in the past, to sit when the Legislature is not in session, to consider various matters and make recommendations to the Legislature for new laws.

In most cases in recent years important recommendations made by these committees have not been enacted into law.

The committees have been made up of conscientious men, who have given much thought to the subjects which they were appointed to consider; their reports have not brought about many important changes in legislation.

We are one of a very few States in the Union who have annual elections and sessions of the Legislature, and the Legislature is in session for substantially six months out of every twelve.

Under those conditions, necessary changes in our laws may be considered and acted on without the appointment of recess committees, which are of necessity expensive, and, as we have annual elections and annual sessions of the Legislature, are unnecessary.

Education.

Massachusetts has always maintained a high reputation for the quality of education that has been furnished by her public and private educational institutions.

In the last year there was contributed by the people of the State, for all school purposes, $18,515,429.

During the same time, outside of the money that has been raised directly by the cities and towns of the State for education, there has been expended by the Commonwealth, directly, more than $1,150,000 for State aid to the normal schools, pay for superintendents in small towns, textile schools, Nautical Training School, teaching the deaf and blind, industrial education, State fund to small towns, etc.

The great question that is interesting the people today, in the way of general education, seems to be that which is termed "industrial education."

There does not seem to be a general agreement as to just what this term means. Many people seem to think that "industrial education" consists of instruction in manual training, which can be given, to a certain extent, in the grammar and high schools of the State; but to my mind this is incorrect.

"Industrial education" means much more than incidental instruction in so-called manual training, and I do not believe that it can be properly furnished except in special schools, devoted to that and to no other purpose.

I do believe that our method of education in grammar and high schools can be shaped in such a way that pupils desiring an "industrial education" may begin in an industrial school better prepared than they now are, but I do not believe that the present organization of public schools can furnish "industrial education" to their pupils.

Our education now tends very much more to academic acquirement than to industrial training, and, while opportunity should be furnished to the few pupils in our public schools who desire to prepare for college training, changes should be made in their teaching, so that great numbers of the scholars who wish industrial education should have an opportunity to study with that end in view, rather than be obliged to pursue, as at present, a course mainly academic.

I believe that separate industrial schools should be established, which should not take in scholars, boys or girls, at less than fourteen years of age. I am not prepared to state whether or not there should be an age limit in the other direction; but such schools should be so organized that if boys or girls desired to attend them at that age, they could take a practical course which might last for two or more years, so that when they left they would be prepared to enter, with some substantial training, into the industrial work of life.

Boys and girls from fourteen to seventeen or eighteen years of age are not at the present time furnished by public schools with adequate training in the direction of a life work, if it is to be connected with a trade. The pupils who go to high schools are obliged to take much more of an academic training than they would be, provided there were suitable industrial schools for them to attend during these years.

In every section of the Commonwealth one may see boys and girls between fourteen and seventeen, who are too young to work, on the streets doing nothing, or getting an education for which many of them are not adapted and do not wish; and I believe that giving them an opportunity for "industrial education," one part of which should be learning how to work and actually working a certain number of hours each day, would be of great benefit to them.

I further think that, at the present time, our educational system is not being conducted harmoniously to produce the best results; and later on it would seem to me wise to have the various organizations which are employed in State education brought under one control, so that each department should be managed by a central body, working in harmony with each other's branch of education, so that effort need not be wasted, and that the children to be educated should not be experimented on by different departments having an entirely different conception of what such education should be.

It may not this year be feasible to bring about such a general reorganization, because the experimental starting of industrial schools undoubtedly means the fostering care of a special organization; but when we see the State spending large sums of money for all these different organizations not working harmoniously for a common result, the desirability of such a reorganization as I have suggested will

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Gov. Draper's Message.

Governor Draper's message can be found in full in this issue, commencing on page three.

An Unreasonable Regulations.

It is a satisfaction to learn that all of the judges of the courts in this part of the State are not of the same opinion as the judge of the Malden Court regarding the use of chains on automobile tires in the Fells and on the parkways, and who administered fines to a number of automobilists. Judge Johnson of the Woburn Court has taken the stand that the regulations are unreasonable, and as a result discharged seven automobilists who were arraigned on complaint of the Metropolitan Park Commission that they had been touring Middlesex Fells with chains on the tires of the automobiles.

This regulation, to say the least, appears to be pretty arbitrary, and will, no doubt, be of short duration. Should the regulation hold good, it would practically debar automobiles from the Fells and parkway during the winter months when there is snow or ice on the ground.

To Aid Earthquake Sufferers.

Winchester residents will have an opportunity on next Thursday evening of doing their part in extending relief and assistance to the Italian earthquake sufferers. They are not asked to make contributions out of hand, but in return for the pleasure of listening to a concert by a group of artists who all stand at the head of their profession.

This concert has been arranged through the efforts of Miss A. Laura Tolman, known to all Winchester people as a violoncellist of much note. The artists have all been secured by her and are giving their services free, among them being Signor Capelloni, one of the foremost Italian baritones.

Those taking part are:
Jennie Trecartin, soprano
May Belle Hagenow, pianist
Signor Capelloni, baritone
Joshua Phippen, pianist.

The Tolmanina Trio—Gertrude Marshall, violinist; Myra Winslow, pianist; A. Laura Tolman, violoncellist.

The tickets have been placed at $1, 50 and 35 cents—within the reach of all, and with this fair return for your contribution, the attendance of all is asked. Tickets for sale at Knight's and Abare's drug stores.

CHARLES W. DENLEY.

Charles W. Denley of 15 Mt. Vernon street, a resident of this town for the past 19 years, died at his home this morning of Bright's disease. He was in his 58th year, and leaves besides his wife, one son, Alfred N., and one daughter, Marion F. The funeral services will be held from his late home on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Denley was born in Brockton, his parents being William and Anna (Holbrook) Denley. His father is still living. Mr. Denley had been in poor health for a long time, and in July of last year he was obliged to resign his position at Corcoran's dry goods store in Cambridgeport where he was employed.

While putting up a line of shafting in the new building of the Woburn Brass Works, Mr. Henry W. Kimball of this town struck his head against a beam and fell backward onto an iron electric sweeper about fifteen feet below. A hack was called and he was taken to his home at 3 Winchester Park. A physician was summoned and a gash about five inches long and an inch deep was found in his left leg, four stitches being taken to close it. He was badly shaken up and he wrenched his wrist, but no bones were broken.

PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOKS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

EDITOR of THE STAR:

In the last issue of your esteemed journal Mr. Charles F. A. Currier has an interesting article under the caption "One Way to Improve School Work." I wonder if the gentleman has ever given consideraton to the necessity of close relations between the public school and the public library.

After a careful study of the school problem I am satisfied that an excellent means of improving the work of our public schools lies in intimate relations and close cooperation between the two. As has been said, the only defense of compulsory tax support of the free public library is that it makes, or aids in the making, good citizens. If this be the purpose of the library, there will be no difference of opinion on the proposition that its influence should begin with the child as young as possible.

It will not be disputed by Mr. Currier or anyone else that as our children are brought together in the public schools in larger numbers than in any other place or manner, and under the most favorable conditions to receive instruction, in fact for that very purpose, the library should not fail to take advantage of this opportunity to bring its influence to bear. It follows then that the relations between these two grand institutions should be as intimate, and their cooperation as perfect, as possible.

What, then, has the library to offer to the school to enlist the interest of the teachers to make them *want* the library, to induce them to undertake the work necessary to care for and keep track of the books which I suggest be placed in every schoolroom in Winchester and elsewhere.

The library in the schoolroom will of course add to the attractiveness of the schoolroom. Every teacher wants her pupils to love to come to school, and knows that it is a great deal easier to teach happy, interested children than the kind described by Mr. Currier. The library will add interest. It will help to make the school room a place of joy and happiness.

The library will incite to interest in, and make more easy the course of study. It will illustrate and explain subjects taken up.

It will increase the mind capacity of the pupils, increasing their ability to acquire knowledge.

It will establish a new relation between pupil and teacher; a more general relation, one in which the one in command gives place to the counsellor and friend.

Good teachers regret that they have to deal with their classes *en masse*; that they have to hew all to a line—to form all in the same mould. Here is something that will foster individuality without interfering with routine. Here is the opportunity for the child of exceptional abilities to rise above the level insisted upon in school, and to receive help, stimulus and instruction in the line of his individual taste. Here is a means by which the teacher may discover a taste or capacity in the child, which, precisely fed, may illuminate not only his school life, but his whole existence.

The selection of books can best be made in consultation with the teacher. It is possible, however, that the library may have to make up the first collection. When these are sent to the classroom it should be made plain that if any of the books are found unsuitable that they will be changed; that the library has many more books on the same subjects, *and that any special books the teacher wants will be added.* In short, the teacher should be made to know that the library means to cooperate with the schools according to their needs, and has no ironclad system to impose.

The books should be chosen with a full knowledge of the courses of study and with some reference thereto—with reference to the age of the pupils and their intelligence as to books and reading.

EUGENE BERTRAM WILLARD.
Everett, Mass.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

The first of a series of organ recitals by Mr. J. Albert Wilson, choir master and organist, will take place at the Church Sunday afternoon at 4.15 p. m.

The annual meeting of the Parish will be held in the Church next Wednesday evening, Jan. 13, at 8 p. m.

The Sunday School of the Parish will take part in a Missionary Service to be held Sunday afternoon, Jan. 17, at 3.30 p. m. at St. Paul's Church, Malden. The speaker will be Mr. Chapman of Alaska.

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THE MODERN DRAMA.

The first of a series of ten talks on "The Modern Drama" was given by the Rev. A. H. Brown, under the auspices of The Fortnightly, at the Town Hall Thursday morning at 10.30. Mr. Brown's manner was vivid and entertaining and his subject one of the most fascinating that can be presented. In a series of ten lectures he plans to present the following masters, two lectures for each: Ibsen, "The Pillars of Society" and "A Doll's House;" Bernard Shaw, "Mrs. Warren's Profession" and "Candida;" Materlinck, "Monna Vanna" and "Joyzelle;" Suderman, "Honor" and "Magda;" Hauptmann "Lonely Lives" and "The Sunken Bell."

In speaking of the work of Ibsen's early years the speaker noted the interesting changes from the young poet with his lyrics of imaginative things to the stern moralist of later years, casting aside the love of language as such, only valuing it as a means of expressing the thoughts with which his brain is teeming.

Enlarging upon this thought Mr. Brown dwelt upon the place of Ibsen as a destroyer of existing evils, busy with the tremendous problem of human life, and as always the fate of the reformer maligned and hated. Entering upon the work of his strong middle life at the period of the Franco-Russian War, he shows in his writing the influence of the history then enacted, romantic, melodramatic France passing away, and a tremendous rebirth of Imperialism under the iron heel of Prussia. The book written at this time stands alone in one respect among the work of his vigorous manhood. It has the "happy ending" up to that time necessary to the popular tale. But after that his sense of the realities of life forbade this, as a brave surgeon or nurse who to do the work required must face every fact, so he in doing his best to rid society of evils depicted must lay bare the sore festering at the core of life.

He presented woman as the equal of man, physically, mentally, morally; for this the dramatist has been scorned and criticised, but nevertheless and in spite of the defects of this first book, it marks an epoch in literature, the period when the sentimental and romantic was beginning to give way to the work which dealt with life as it is, not as we wish it were, when "spiritual and intellectual inertia" was beginning to give way before the ideas of real growth and perfection.

Mr. Brown's study of "A Doll's House" will be looked for with interest. It occurs on Thursday morning next at the same hour. The course which is free to members of The Fortnightly may be enjoyed by outsiders as well, single tickets being on sale at 35 cents and course tickets at $2.50.

SCHOOLS MIGHT IMPROVE MORAL EDUCATION.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

We have read what Mr. Suter has to say regarding the Winchester schools, and there is no one who has taken the trouble to familiarize themselves with the conditions as they exist but can heartily second what the gentleman says.

Something is wrong with the Winchester schools, not only along the line of strict educational methods, but in the moral education of the scholars.

The writer was recently informed that the so-called "pin committee" of the Freshman class in the High School had agreed to purchase pins of no concern unless free pins were furnished the committee.

The Principal's attention being called to the condition, the writer was advised that he was unaware of the fact as given but that it was decidedly wrong and must be stopped. A subsequent conversation both with Mr. Herron, our Superintendent, and Mr. Lovering brought forth the very startling expression, that while they believed it wrong they were powerless to stop it.

With the above condition in mind the writer made a few inquiries as to what action might be taken by the school committee in other towns, and while we are not at liberty to express ourselves as strongly as we might desire, sufficient to state we were much impressed by the replies, and we felt assured that a way would be found to prevent the Committee from carrying out the plan.

The concern who agrees to furnish five or six pins free to a class necessarily will add the price of the free pins to the lot sold to the regular scholars, a very simple deduction is noted from this. Each scholar, outside of the Pin Committee, is contributing their proportionate part toward furnishing the Committee with free pins. Why not then make it perfectly legitimate and have the class vote to pay for the pins.

The question of "graft" is certainly aptly illustrated by the conditions now existing, and we are led to believe that few of the parents in Winchester are acquainted with facts.

Yours truly,
R. D. A. THOMPSON.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Having been taken to task for opposing rates based upon quantities consumed, when the town does the same thing in its water rates, I would say that while I believe that both public and quasi public corporations should be allowed to make special rates for very large users, in the public interest, the sliding scale of rates for general users is wrong. Why should a man with a large house using more have it for less than his neighbor? Private business may do as it pleases, but public and quasi-public business stands very different from it.

Many citizens are in favor of all night lighting on the ground that it is an added protection to life, limb, property and tending to comfort of mind, and that an up-to-date town like Winchester should have it. Well, if it will accomplish all that, let's have it quick. But will it?

The Selectmen ought to print a statement of the condition of every street in town in the annual report so that all citizens may know what there is ahead of us in street work. It might comfort some to see that the town knew of the conditions even if it did nothing for them. Patient waiters may be no loosers, but the strain often makes you loose faith in the saying.

Lincoln Steffens says, watch your representatives after you have elected them, and if you find them representing other interests, then they have ceased to be your representatives and of course should be dropped at the first opportunity. This is good advice, and the people will do it when they really want to rule. They are not ready yet to make the effort but are getting nearer to it all of the time and are writing some on the wall now.

A man who does not pay the tax he should, cheats everybody else. If he lies to the Assessors he lies to everybody else, as they are simply the public officials representing the others. Some day the people will recognize that this is not a private nor personal matter but a public one, and will see to it that it is properly lived up to. The tax laws will never be changed to any extent until they are enforced. What have we got to do to wake our Assessors up? Let's try making them talk some more in town meeting. Also pay them more.

Winchester is the only place in the suburbs of Boston that reduced its tax rate in 1908. Can we get it down lower this year? We most certainly can if we raise our money properly, and after this year it looks easier still. But there are a lot of expensive things on the table and we must see to it that they be well spread along and not bunched, to which end it behooves the Appropriations Committee to have an eye well into the future and not simply have in view 1909.

Winchester stands tenth in wealth of the towns and above three of the cities as assessed May 1, 1908.

NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

Mrs. Oren C. Sanborn opened her beautiful new home "Aigremont," on the west side hills, for her first reception on New Year's afternoon from 3 to 6. During the afternoon about 400 guests from Winchester and other surrounding towns and cities called, being received by Mrs. Sanborn in her music room. The house was decorated in yellow with the exception of this room, which was in pink, roses being used exclusively to give the desired color. Elsewhere about the house the rooms were filled with bunches of yellow jonquils, with white roses and palms used to aid in emphasizing their yellow tone. The decorations were not of an elaborate nature however, as the interior architecture needed very little embellishment to set forth its structural beauties.

During the afternoon selections were given by an orchestra of a harp and stringed instruments, and four selections sung by Dr. J. Churchill Hindes gave much pleasure to Mrs. Sanborn's guests. Dr. Hindes was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Hindes.

The refreshments were in charge of a number of ladies, with the tea and chocolate in the dinning room and poured by Mrs. Ferd F. French and Mrs. William B. French, and the punch in the den, presided over by Mrs. Charles F. Simes of Brookline. Others who assisted were Mrs. Wallace N. Proctor, Mrs. Herbert L. Larrabee, Mrs. Marshall C. Bouve, Mrs. Howard Chapin, Mrs. Herbert Nickerson and Mrs. Frank Hastings of Hingham. A number of younger ladies also assisted, including Mrs. Ralph O. Durrell, Miss Maud Simes of Brookline, Miss Edith Shattuck of West Newton, Miss Elinor Barta, Miss Mary Kellogg, Miss Barbara Fernald and Miss Marjorie Cutting.

Mrs. Mack C. Dotson has gone to Sutherlin, Va., for a month.

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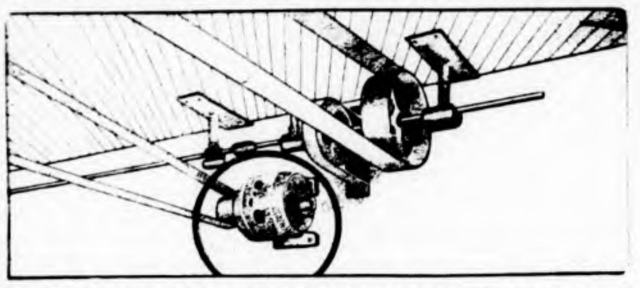

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From January 15th to 30th I shall make REDUCED PRICES on the following articles:

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SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

January 4th, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Voted, to grant the free use of the Town Hall on January 14th, next, for a Concert to be given for the aid of the earthquake sufferers in Italy.

Received letter from the Tax Collector saying that Gypsy Moth taxes to the amount of $800.00 were as yet unadjusted. Voted, to write the Tree Warden and request him to complete the adjustment at once.

Received and placed on file report of the Chief of Police for the month of December together with list of defective lights.

Warrants drawn for $146.15 and $605.10.

Adjourned at 9.45 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk.

CONVENTION.

The Selectmen and the School Board met in convention duly called as required by the statutes to fill the vacancy on said School Board caused by the resignation of Mr. F. H. Means.

Convention called to order at 8 p. m. Mr. Dwinell was chosen Chairman and Mr. Lochman, clerk.

Mr. Marcus B. May was nominated, and the ballot being cast, Mr. May was unanimously elected to serve until the next annual Town Meeting.

Convention dissolved at 8.10 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk.

Old Farmer's Almanacs for 1909—Wilson the Stationer. tf

FINED FOR USING CHAIN.

Edward Cole was before the district court in Malden Tuesday charged with using chains on the wheels of his auto on the Medford boulevard. The park officer told the court the road was bare for an eight of a mile over which the auto passed, but Mr. Cole denied this and said a heavy snow had fallen the night before. He said he thought his word was as good as the officer's.

The officer was put on the stand again and he told of the defendant's offering him 25 cents rather than be hailed before the court, and he afterward raised the sum to $1. Mr. Cole told Judge Bruce that he was only fooling when he offered the officer $1. His honor said he couldn't consider such a proposition as a joke, and he imposed a fine of $20, although the regular fine for using chains is only $10.

The Ladies' Bethany Society met Tuesday at the Second Congregational church, forty-two being present at the lunch, which was served by Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Tolman and Mrs. Belville. It being the annual meeting, officers were elected and yearly reports read. The old board of officers was voted in: Mrs. Martha Rice, president; Mrs. Justin Parker, vice-president; Mrs. H. Smalley, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. McIntosh, Miss Towle, Mrs. Newth and Mrs. Tolman, work committee. The president made some helpful remarks and suggestions for the new year. Mrs. Louis Claflin read a poem entitled "One thousand nine hundred and nine."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the Rev. Burt Leon Yorke of West Medford. Anthem—"The Lord is King," Marston; Quartette, "Some Blessed Day," Nevin.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Descent of the Holy Spirit." Acts 2: 1-21.

4.30 p. m. Eventide Service with an address by the Rev. William S. Ewing upon the Sunday Schools of our Country. Service in the main auditorium. Collection. Every one cordially invited.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—"Living for the Day or for Eternity." Heb. 7: 15, 16; Matt. 16: 24, 27. Leader—Mrs. D. A. Newton. All are cordially invited to attend.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Annual Meeting of the First Congregational Society. Reports, election of officers, appropriations for the coming year, and action upon articles in the warrant. All members of the Society will please attend.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.—4 p.m. The meeting of the Mission Union will be held in the vestry. Luncheon will be served at noon. The work will be for the Visiting Nurse Association. Miss Billings will speak in the afternoon. Business meeting at 2 p. m.

7.45 p. m. Regular mid-week meeting for prayer, conference and fellowship. Topic—"How Shall We Approach the Bible?" Acts 17: 1-14; 2 Peter 1: 12-21.

The January Group have decided to hold a Social upon the evening of Jan 21.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Sacrament."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service, with sermon by the Rev. Henry C. DeLong, of Medford.

12 m. Sunday School. Service read by Mr. H. N. Haven.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Emma Farnsworth. Address by Rev. J. M. Wilson, of Lexington.

Thursday, Jan. 14, 3.00 p. m. Ladies' Friendly Society. Address by Rev. Harry Lutz, of Billerica. Subject, Browning's "Saul." Food sale. Tea.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

First Sunday after the Epiphany.

10.45 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

4.15 p. m. Organ Recital.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with Children's Church, including a brief address to the children, to be followed by a sermon to adults, on the text: "Such as I have give I." Acts, 3, 6.

12.15 p. m. Bible School. Mr. John McLean, superintendent. "Cornerstone Class" meets, led by Mr. McGown.

5.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, to be addressed by Mr. Roy Malcon, of Los Angeles, California, on "Overcomers and Service." There will be special music, including a cornet.

6.15 p. m. Short Vesper service with preaching by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week Prayer and conference meeting. All cordially invited to attend.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon—"Pentecost Then and Now." Seats free. Welcome.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Subject, "The Descent of the Holy Spirit." Welcome to all.

12.00 m. Conference for business men. Fourth and last talk by Secretary Lord on "Child Labor." All men invited.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting. Leader, Miss Grace McDowell.

7.00 p. m. Evening Worship. Sermon—"The Pentecost Winchester Needs." Informal service.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Annual meeting of the Young People's Society. Reports of officers and committees, and election of officers for ensuing year.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer Meeting. Topic, "Prayer for Our Sunday School."

Wednesday, 9.05 p. m. Lesson Worker's Conference, conducted by the Rev. Arthur W. Smith.

Thursday. Benefit Concert in Town Hall for the Italian and Sicilian earthquake sufferers.

Monday, Jan. 18. Annual meeting of the Church.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Descent of the Holy Spirit."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic, "For us who are Lost?"

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon by the Pastor. All cordially invited.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

Tuesday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. Charles W. Blackett, Ph. D., of Malden will Preach.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. B. J. Jennings of Somerville.

Thursday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. N. B. Fisk of Stoneham.

Thursday, Ladies' Aid Society.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. The Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held in the small vestry. Rev. Charles F. Rice, D. D., will preside.

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OF WINCHESTER, MASS.

NOV. 2, 1908.

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United States Bonds,	50,000.00	Surplus and Profits,	27,755.12
Stocks and Bonds,	47,182.78	Bank Notes Outstanding,	49,100.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds,	1,500.00	Deposits,	265,647.96
5 Per Cent. Fund,	2,500.00	Dividends Unpaid,	12.00
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PARISH SUPPER.

Some two hundred of the members of the Church of the Epiphany were gathered in the Town Hall Wednesday evening, the occasion being the parish supper given under the auspices of the Woman's Guild, Epiphany Club and Vestry Associates. It was, perhaps, the most noteworthy social event in the history of the parish, and to all who assisted is given much credit. Added significance was accorded to the event because it occurred on Epiphany Day. The guests as they arrived were escorted to the Receiving Committee where felicitations were exchanged, and then given seats at the tables. Those in the receiving line were, Rev. John W. Suter and Mrs. Suter, Mrs. L. K. Ely, Mrs. Anthony Kelley and Mrs. George Hawley. The ushers, who allowed no one to be missed, were, W. C. Newell, C. D. Jenkins, E. O. Punchard, John E. Page, Fred O. Fish and A. R. Pike.

At 6.30 o'clock, all having been seated a blessing was invoked by Rev. Mr. Suter, after which a very excellent supper was served. The wants of the guests were ably attended to by a bevy of young ladies and men of the parish. Too much cannot be said of the toothsome repast which was so admirably provided and served by the committee of ladies, especial praise being bestowed upon Mrs. T. E. Thompson, the Chairman, who was ably assisted by Mrs. Anthony Kelley, Mrs. J. W. Suter, Mrs. F. D. Cleveland, Mrs. W. C. Sache, Mrs. S. H. Taylor, Mrs. L. K. Ely, Mrs. W. I. Kendall, Mrs. G. N. P. Mead, Mrs. Geo. Fitch, Mrs. W. E. Wilde, Mrs. Rufus Crowell, Mrs. H. S. Underwood, Miss Edith Billings, Mrs. A. P. Weeks, Mrs. Walter Cummings, Mrs. Alfred Higgins, Miss Edith Watson, Miss Alice Brown and Miss Mills.

The entertainment which followed the supper was most enjoyable as was evidenced by the applause and encores, so generously bestowed. It was all so excellent that there is but little chance to particularize only to give a word of especial praise to Mrs. Cleveland, in Japanese costume, who sang so fine, and to Mrs. Ely and Mrs. Sache in their words of welcome, and to Mrs. F. B. Tracy for her "Good Night." Mr. Taylor was called upon three times, so it will be seen how enjoyable it all was.

Following was the program:

Instrumental Duet	Mrs. F. E. Cleveland, Mrs. L. K. Ely
Epiphany Club Welcome	Mr. William C. Newell
Woman's Guild Welcome	Mrs. L. K. Ely
Solo	Dr. J. Churchill Hindes
The Parish Welcome	Rev. John W. Suter
Song	Mrs. E. O. Punchard
The Women of the Parish	Mrs. Wm. C. Sache
Piano solo	Mrs. J. Churchill Hindes
The Men of the Parish	Mr. Roland H. Sherman
Japanese song (in costume)	Mrs. Geo. W. Fitch
Good Night	Mrs. Frank B. Tracy
Solo	Mr. Sylvester H. Taylor

The chafin dishes were presided over by Mrs. John Page, Mrs. M. B. May, Mrs. E. D. Chadwick, Mrs. A. R. Pike, Mrs. Alfred Fish, Miss Fessenden, Mrs. E. C. Starr, Mrs. G. F. Edgett, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. Power, Miss Carrie Billings, Mrs. H. C. Coburn, Mrs. A. B. Mills, Mrs. Roland Sherman, Mrs. Roger Hurd, Mrs. L. M. Passano, Mrs. S. H. Taylor, Mrs. J. C. Hindes, Mrs. Breen and Mrs. Brown.

After the entertainment there was dancing.

The hall was beautifully decorated with evergreen and laurel.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

It has already been announced that there will be special services held in the Methodist Church, the two weeks following the union services. The following is a list of speakers already engaged and it is hoped that this list will be preserved for ready reference: Tuesday, Jan. 12, Rev. Dr. C. W. Blackett of Malden. Wednesday, Jan. 13, Rev. B. J. Jennings, Somerville. Thursday, Jan. 14, N. B. Fish, Stoneham.

Tuesday, Jan. 19, Rev. John R. Chaffee. Wednesday, Jan. 20, Rev. G. B. Dean, Lowell. Thursday, Jan. 21, Rev. W. W. Bowers, Lynn. Friday, Jan. 22, Rev. B. G. Seaboyer, Medford.

On Jan. 15, will be held the fourth and last Quarterly Conference of the year.

Last Sunday morning, the Holy Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, was observed. An unusally large number partook of the sacred elements which gladdened the pastor's heart, as it showed a desire to begin the New Year aright. Twenty-four were received into the church—eleven by letter, and thirteen on probation. There are still others to be received, who could not be present.

Mr. William D. Richards is confined to his home by a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dotten of Forest street are receiving congratulations on the coming to their home of a son the first of the week.

DIED

CHOATE—Jan. 5, Thomas J. Choate, 87 yrs. Funeral was held from his late residence, 18 Hancock street, Thursday, Jan. 7, at 2 p. m.

DENLEY—Jan. 8, Charles William Denley, aged 57y. 7m. 10d.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John W. Crooker to the Winchester Savings Bank dated September 3, 1904, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, lib. 3122, fol. 167, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, will be sold at public auction upon the premises in Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts on

MONDAY, the first day of February, A.D. 1909, at three o'clock in the afternoon,

all and singular, the premises remaining subject to said mortgage, a portion of the premises originally covered thereby having been released by partial release dated April 23, 1906, recorded with said Deeds, lib. 3226, fol. 323, the premises remaining being the first parcel described therein as follows:

A parcel of land in said Winchester which was the homestead of the late Thaddeus Parker and is bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Cambridge street about seventeen (17) rods; Northerly by Pond street about fourteen (14) rods; Easterly by land now or formerly of Dana Fay about seventeen (17) rods, and Southerly by land now or late of Dana Fay about fourteen (14) rods.

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MESSAGE TO LEGISLATURE.

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I believe [illegible]

State Highways.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts early recognized the necessity and value of good roads, and started in 1894 to build them.

The appropriation in that year for this purpose was $[illegible], and since that time up to December 1 of the present year about 770 miles of such highways have been constructed at a total cost of $6,[illegible], this being an average yearly expenditure of nearly $432,000.

The law provides that 25 per cent of the amount expended for these highways shall be collected by the State Treasurer from the counties, so that the total expense directly chargeable to the State has been about $5,[illegible], and the average net amount expended annually by the State has been about $[illegible].

The present law, passed in 1908, has provided for an annual expenditure of $500,000 for five years, so that the policy of the Commonwealth is [illegible] determined.

I think there is [illegible] number of the citizens of the State who do not thoroughly believe in the construction of good roads by the State.

We have been very fortunate in having had a commission in charge of this work which has expended the money wisely and accomplished generally satisfactory results, and today the State highways of Massachusetts are [illegible] second to those of no State in the Union, and are probably better than those of any other State. They are of great benefit to the people of the Commonwealth, and the wise policy started by the State should be continued.

At times special appropriations have been made for new roads in excess of the annual appropriations. It does not seem to me that it is a wise policy to pursue, and if there are special places where State highways are needed they should be constructed out of the regular annual appropriation.

One reason which appeals to me for this conclusion is the fact that the annual expenditures for maintenance, to preserve the property which we already have, must be materially increased over what they have been in the past, and this expense for maintenance ought to be considered an annual expense, which must be raised by taxation and paid for in the year in which it is expended.

In 1908 the direct legislative appropriations for maintenance were $150,000. In addition, the net receipts for fees of the automobile department for one and one-half years, which amounted to about $145,000, were appropriated for this purpose, so that the commission were enabled to expend for maintenance during the year 1908 about $295,000.

Taking the appropriations which have been made for repairs from the beginning of the construction of the State highways, the average amount appropriated by the Legislature for maintenance has been considerably less than $100 per mile per year.

In the last four or five years a very important new element has had to be considered in the repair of the State roads. I refer to the great increase in the number of automobiles which are used by the citizens of the Commonwealth. I believe that their number will increase, and, while this may be a good thing in many directions, they certainly make it much harder to keep the roads in condition, and therefore the annual amount to be expended for keeping the roads good must be materially increased.

The Highway Commission estimates that it will require at least $300 per mile per year to maintain the State highways in proper repair, and you will therefore need to give this [illegible] consideration in your treatment of this question.

There can be no doubt of the wisdom of maintaining in good condition the splendid property which we have, rather than [illegible] a large outlay by borrowing money for new construction and allowing the roads we already have to run down because of insufficient expenditures.

The park roads in the State are a comparatively small amount in mileage, and because of enormous automobile traffic over them, the expense for resurfacing and repairs is many times per mile what it is on the State highways.

There is no better illustration of the great damage done to highways of this character by high-powered and swift-running automobiles than is shown by the great amount of money required to keep these park roads in repair. Their condition shows to every observer the destructive effect of very extensive use of automobiles.

It seems to me obvious that a change ought to be made in the registration fee for automobiles, and that a graded fee should be established, by means of which the people using machines which destroy the roads would be compelled to pay to the Commonwealth a proper amount for repairs.

I therefore believe and urge that legislation should be enacted which would require the owners of high-powered, heavy and fast-running automobiles to pay a greater license fee than is charged to citizens owning lighter and less destructive motor vehicles. Such laws have been enacted in other States, and, in my opinion, are practical and comparatively easy of application.

I think, further, that the money raised from such registration fees should be used for the maintenance of State roads.

In building these State roads it has been the policy of our commission to build them so that they would connect with the main highways of other States. This policy should be continued, and I think we may safely assume that other New England States will pursue the same general policy in the construction of their highways, and this co-operation will eventually be of great benefit to the people of all the New England States.

Automobiles.

As I have previously stated, these vehicles have, in my opinion, come to stay and will constantly increase in numbers.

I have already referred to changes that I think it would be wise to make in legislation having to do with increased receipts from the use of certain classes of machines.

I further believe that our laws should be so amended as to better regulate the conditions under which they are run. The object to be attained by such legislation, in my view, is to prevent reckless operation of such machines on the public highways. Speed limits may have their advantages, but they oftentimes work a hardship on careful operators.

The laws should be so framed that any reckless operation of a motor vehicle, at any speed, should be the test for fine or other punishment, as the case may be. The object to be attained is to frame laws which will prevent reckless and dangerous operation of such vehicles. Where any particular person is convicted, the penalty should be severe; and if glaring cases of recklessness are found, the guilty operator should be prohibited from further opportunity for such action.

I would further suggest that some law might be passed which would make it a criminal offence to use an automobile without the owner's permission.

Harbors and Public Lands.

I believe that the appropriations for improvements in our harbors in the recent past have not been made in a proper and systematic way.

Many so-called improvements have been made that were not necessary, others have been started with an insufficient appropriation to carry them out, so that contracts could not be made to the best advantage, and in some instances appropriations have been made that were wasteful.

I suggest for your consideration that it would be wise to treat this matter as the construction of highways was treated; that a [illegible] appropriation [illegible] by the Harbor and Land Commission.

In this way the same appropriation could be kept within reasonable limits, no proposed improvement would be started without the approval of the responsible Board which has these matters in charge for the Commonwealth, and better results would be obtained for all the people.

In this connection it would be wise to pass a general law authorizing cities and towns, by a two-thirds vote, to appropriate money to perform work and assume the risk of land damages for harbor and water improvements of this kind in the same general form as the special acts passed by the Legislature for [illegible] harbor, the Westport act for the dike and dams, and the Falmouth act for [illegible] Pond.

This would provide a good test of local public interest in proposed improvements, and would, if part of the cost were borne by the town, show the real interest of the community in such improvement.

There would undoubtedly be cases where the town could not afford to pay anything, while the improvement might be important. In other cases the town might be willing to pay a part, and the State could pay the rest, if it were really an improvement.

I would suggest that the annual appropriation by the State for such purposes should not be in excess of $75,000.

If any great work were to be undertaken for the benefit of the whole State, it could of course be dealt with as a separate matter.

One System of Bookkeeping.

An act was passed by the last session of the Legislature (chapter 597) which provided that, under the direction of the Auditor, a system of bookkeeping which should be substantially uniform should be established for all our institutions. This was to apply to both receipts and disbursements, and accounting for stores, supplies and materials.

It seems to me that this is a matter of the greatest importance, as it would make it easy for comparisons of one institution with another as to their receipts and expenditures for similar articles. Their results in caring for the property in their control could be easily ascertained, and success or failure in management could be easily compared.

This would be most helpful to the managers of the institutions, and would be a great aid in the prevention of unnecessary and extravagant expenditures. It would enable the boards of control, and the responsible head of each institution, to find out quickly and accurately any facts which would be of advantage to each of them to know.

I am informed by the Auditor that this matter is substantially well under way, and that it will be in practical operation, if not now, in the [illegible].

Militia.

The militia of the Commonwealth I believe to be in good condition. Their status has been very much changed by the passage, by the national Congress, of the so-called Dick law, which has been accepted by Massachusetts, and they now constitute a part of the general military system of the national government.

The work done by the militia in Chelsea during and after the great fire was excellent, and I congratulate them on the efficiency shown in the service there rendered.

Massachusetts Nautical Training School.

This school has been in the past conducted on the United States ship "Enterprise."

The school was established for the purpose of training young men to become efficient in all branches of work connected with the merchant marine, and, in case of necessity, to have the basic training for service in the United States navy.

The Naval Bureau of Massachusetts, under the Adjutant General, is required to superintend the training of the naval militia of the Commonwealth which includes subjects covered by the Massachusetts Nautical Training School, and they also have a war vessel for their use.

The Nautical Training School has received from the government this year a much larger and better ship than the "Enterprise," the "Ranger," which would also be an admirable ship for the use of the Massachusetts Naval Militia.

I suggest for your consideration whether it is not perfectly practicable for both these organizations to use the same ship. This could be done by having the terms of the scholars in the Nautical Training School limited to nine full months a year, and the naval militia could use the ship for part of three months in the year.

I am informed, as a matter of fact, that the naval militia, if they had the use of the ship for Saturday during May and June and for the month of July, would not need it at other times.

Under these circumstances, the usual cruise that is taken by the Nautical Training School could begin on the first of August without interfering with the naval militia, and the students in the training school could have vacations for Saturdays and Sundays in May and June, and for the month of July.

The subjects on which the Massachusetts Naval Militia need training are somewhat like those which are furnished to the students in the training school, so that the teachers and officers of the training school could fulfill a very important function in helping in the training of the naval militia.

If this were done, it would not be necessary to maintain the special commission of the Massachusetts Nautical Training School, and the whole matter could be put in charge of the Naval Bureau.

This, in my judgment, would be practically as well for the students in the Nautical Training School, and an excellent thing for the naval militia.

The gentlemen who compose the Naval Bureau are well qualified to fulfil the responsible duties now performed by the commission controlling the Nautical Training School, and the necessary duplication of having two warships for these two entirely similar purposes would be done away with, a considerable amount of money would be saved, and there would be no disadvantage to the Commonwealth.

I desire to have it distinctly understood that by any statements here made I have nothing but praise for the commission which has conducted the Massachusetts Nautical Training School, but it seems to me that for the best interests of the Commonwealth it is unnecessary to have these two ships and two boards of administration.

There has always been a misunderstanding among the people in regard to what the Nautical Training School is, there having been a general impression that it was something in the way of a reformatory institution.

This is most unfortunate. It is simply what its name implies, a Nautical Training School, which has done much good work, and [illegible] to [illegible] positions in our merchant marine.

Old Age Pensions.

I am informed by members of the commission who are investigating the question of old age pensions that they will make a partial report this year, but that they will need another year to make their complete report, as [illegible] the terms of the resolve under which they were appointed.

They [illegible] that they will not need any further appropriation before their final report.

Under these circumstances it would be wise to have their time extended for one year, so that we may have the benefit of their investigations shown in a full report.

In this connection, however, I would suggest for your consideration whether, if any general old age pension scheme were ever to be enacted, it would not be wise to have this a national proposition, rather than something to be done by an individual State. We are all citizens of one country, and if one State should take up this matter for consideration, and some States do nothing, and others adopt one scheme and still others a different one, it would produce a situation which, to my mind, would not be practical or wise.

Forestry.

Forest products have so increased in value in recent years that it behooves us as a Commonwealth to enact and adjust laws so that our forests or commercially valuable trees may be treated and conserved with economy and that lands at present in idleness shall be returned, through reforestation, to productivity. We must also enact sufficient laws to reasonably insure our people against dangers from forest fires and over taxation of growing timber.

I cordially recommend to you a consideration of the recommendations of the New England forestry officials, resulting from the recent meeting of New England Governors.

Boards and Commissions.

The business of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is largely carried on by boards and commissions, paid and unpaid.

Unpaid Boards.

There are twenty-three unpaid boards. Several of these are local, like the trustees of the textile schools in Lowell, Fall River and New Bedford; several of them are not especially active, but, on the other hand, others have the superintendence of much of the important business of the State, both as to results accomplished and money expended. The Board of Health, Board of Education, Prison Commissioners, Board of Insanity, Board of Charity, Board of Agriculture, Trustees of State Library, the Commission for the Blind, have matters of the greatest importance to attend to, and expend very large sums of money.

These last [illegible] are made up of public-spirited men and women who have given their services to the Commonwealth. They are well organized as a working force, and they employ able and high-priced agents to represent them. They serve practically as boards of directors of the great institutions which they manage, and they have given good and most valuable service to the Commonwealth.

The organization is an economical one, and the results attained, on the whole, are excellent. I do not mean that in detail or results they cannot be criticised, but the system of unpaid boards of public-spirited men and women, with good salaried executive officers hired by them and under their control, has done good work for the Commonwealth, and has done it economically.

Paid Boards.

There are six paid boards, so called, in the Commonwealth:

Board of Boiler Rules.
Board of Conciliation and Arbitration.
Board of Registration in Dentistry.
Board of Registration in Pharmacy.
Board of Registration in Veterinary Medicine.
Board of Registration in Medicine.

These last four boards are managing matters of very similar import, with each one maintaining a separate organization of secretaries, agents, etc.

The men on these boards have done good work, and are not paid high salaries; but, because of their being separate boards, it is necessary for each to have a separate organization, and I believe it would be perfectly feasible to have one board and one organization in place of the four boards and four organizations, without detriment to the business of the Commonwealth.

I do not mean to imply that all the expenses of the organizations could be done away with; it would be necessary to have more clerks than are employed by any one board, but traveling expenses, which are a very substantial item, would be very much reduced, a single representative of each of the departments could be on a general board, representing the particular subject with which he was familiar; and as a consequence I believe the business of the State would be quite as well done as now, with one board instead of four, with very much less complication and a considerable saving in money.

Commissions and Boards Paid by Cities, Towns and Various Interests.

There are fourteen commissions and boards which are paid by the Commonwealth, the expenses being then charged either to the interests which they oversee, to the metropolitan district, or to various cities and towns for which their work is done.

Among the most important of these commissions are:

Railroad Commissioners.
Gas and Electric Light Commission.
Fall River Board of Police.
Boston Police Commissioner.
Licensing Board for City of Boston.
Chelsea Board of Control.
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board.
Boston Transit Commission.
Metropolitan Park Commission.
Charles River Basin Commission.
Suffolk County Court House Commission.
Bar Examiners.

All these commissions, boards and single commissioners are engaged in work which requires their continuance for the present, with the exception of the Charles River Basin Commission.

It is already provided by law that when the Charles River Basin Commission shall have concluded their labors, the control of the dam, lock and basin shall be turned over to the Metropolitan Park Commission.

The Charles River Basin Commissioners have informed me that they are certain that they shall have the main part of their work completed by July 1, 1910. They therefore suggested to me that an act should be passed providing for the care and control by some permanent body of the Boston embankment when completed. Further, that in that act a definite date should be established when this commission shall cease to exist by operation of law. The construction work remaining to be done will cost about $1,[illegible].

They do not think that by July 1, 1910, all the details of their work will be finished, but they do hope that it will be substantially done at that time, and they hope and expect that the main parts of the work will be completed considerably earlier than that.

I therefore recommend legislation which shall provide that the Metropolitan Park Commission shall take over the unfinished work of the Charles River Basin Commission not later than June 1, 1910, and that the act shall also provide that the same commission shall have charge of the entire work when completed.

I believe, as suggested by the members of the Charles River Basin Commission, that they will be enabled to turn their work over to some proper authority at a much earlier date than July 1, 1910, and I therefore suggest that the act shall be so framed that this transfer can be made at any earlier date.

Another very important matter which this commission has called to my attention is the apportionment of [illegible] expense [illegible] the Charles River dam [illegible]

They have been advised by the Attorney-General that [illegible] is necessary [illegible] I suggest that legislation be [illegible] at this session [illegible]

The Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board reports that they consider it necessary [illegible] new water mains to furnish [illegible] supply of water to the metropolitan district at an estimated cost of $[illegible].

For the same reason, they think it necessary to [illegible] an additional engine at the Chestnut Hill pumping station for the high service system. They estimate this will cost $[illegible].

This necessity for mains and pumps [illegible] because of largely increased population, and because the per capita consumption of water in the district has increased beyond the original estimates.

When the works were constructed it was thought that eventually the use of water might amount to an average of 100 gallons per day per person. The daily per capita consumption has now reached 132 gallons in the metropolitan district, and in Boston the daily average per capita consumption for the last year was 158 gallons.

This suggests that there must be a great and unnecessary waste of water, the result of which will be, if it is not checked, an enormous increase in expense to the metropolitan district and the city of Boston for new supply, mains and pumps.

The Legislature in 1907 passed an act (chapter 524) requiring all water services installed after Jan. 1, 1908, in cities and towns which are supplied from the metropolitan works to be equipped with water meters, and also requiring them to annually equip with meters 5 per cent of the water services not metered on Dec. 31, 1907.

All the municipalities within the metropolitan district have substantially complied with the requirements of this act except the city of Boston, which consumes about 78 per cent of the total quantity supplied. The water commissioner of Boston states that practically nothing has been done under the provisions of the act of 1907, in the way of supplying meters, because the department had no funds with which to proceed. This seems extremely short-sighted policy, because it is a well known fact that where water is metered and paid for by the amount used, there is much less wasted.

The city of Boston has not taken general measures for checking the consumption of water by rigid inspection. This ought to be done, and the requirements of the act of 1907, in regard to meters, should be complied with.

It is probable that if these two matters were properly attended to, the consumption of water would be decreased per capita from 25 to 35 per cent, and if that were done, the estimated expenditure of $900,000 for new water mains and pumping engines would not be immediately necessary.

This shows the great importance to the city of Boston and the whole metropolitan district in having a compulsory and rigid inspection of the use of water, and an enforcement of the legislative act of 1907 in regard to water meters for the city of Boston, and I trust that matter will be treated in such a way as to bring about an immediate and great improvement in this respect.

While the metropolitan district and the city of Boston have a magnificent and generous water supply, that should not be an excuse for extravagance and waste, which must greatly increase the cost of water to the taxpayers.

This is a matter that concerns all the people, and should have immediate attention.

Commissions, Heads of Departments, Etc.

In addition to the boards, commissions, etc., which have previously been referred to by me, there are seventeen commissions and heads of departments which are paid directly by the Commonwealth. Many of them are in charge of very important interests, and include:

Massachusetts Highway Commission,
Insurance Commissioner,
Fisheries and Game Commissioners,
Tax Commissioner (also Commissioner of Corporations),
Commission on Industrial Education,
Harbor and Land Commission,
Civil Service Commissioners,
Armory Commission,
Bank Commissioner,
Superintendent for the Suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths,
Bureau of Statistics of Labor,
Commissioner of State Aid and Pensions,
Commissioner of Weights and Measures,
besides several others of lesser importance.

The matters under control of these various agencies are well looked after, and, while it may be wise from time to time to make certain changes, I have nothing special to suggest at the present time, except the enactment of such legislation as will enable one person to serve as Superintendent for the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Suppression and State Forester.

I am informed by the Commissioner of State Aid and Pensions that the present law provides for the payment of State and military aid to the first day of January, 1910.

New legislation should be enacted, to authorize the continuation of these payments.

Meeting of New England Governors.

The Governors of the New England States, together with delegates appointed by them, met in Boston recently for consultation and discussion of certain subjects in connection with which they felt great benefit would inure to the people if uniform laws were passed by each of the States.

Among the delegates present were the State foresters, highway commissioners and fish and game commissioners.

As a result of this meeting, various resolutions were passed, which, if adopted by the Legislatures of the respective States, would improve conditions in New England.

These resolutions had reference to connecting lines of highways and regulation of traffic thereon, forestry encouragement and regulation, and changes in laws relating to lobsters and mollusks.

I commend these various resolutions, which were matters of unanimous agreement, to your favorable consideration. If the changes recommended in the laws are good, as I believe they are, their adoption by all of the New England States would certainly result beneficially.

Senators and Representatives: You have been selected to serve the Commonwealth in an election where a larger number of votes were cast than at any previous time in our history.

Conditions are such in many of our municipalities, and in the Commonwealth, that careful, economical and conscientious exercise of the best abilities that are possessed by our public servants is required.

I feel sure that you recognize fully the responsibilities which rest upon you, and that you will do your duty conscientiously and well.

You are familiar with the great record which has been made in the past by your predecessors, and I urge you to pass no laws, to please others, which have not the approval of your own conscience and judgment.

If you do this, the results accomplished will raise still higher the standard of Massachusetts legislation.

THE THIEVES OF JAPAN

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The Method by Which They Steal the Shoes Off the Women's Feet In the Public Streets—How a Miser's Money Chest Was Bared and Looted.

An Englishman entered a first class car of one of the railroad trains that run between Tokyo and Yokohama. He was a little red in the face and apparently ruffled in temper. He had just discovered that his pocket had been picked in the station, and he exclaimed bitterly against thieves in general and Japanese thieves in particular.

An American who had been engaged in Yokohama for a number of years noticed the Englishman's quandary. Turning round to me, he said: "Our English friend seems a bit excited. If he growls at having his pocket picked, what would he say if he had the shoes stolen off his feet?"

"That is clearly an impossibility," I laughed.

"I don't know about that," he returned. "It may not happen with our western style of shoes, button and lace; but, all the same, I have heard and I know it to be a fact that the sandals of Japanese have been stolen off their feet."

"Well, how is it done?" I asked.

"Very simply," he answered. "Suppose a Japanese woman who has a particularly fine pair of lacquered clogs is one of a great crowd that is watching a passing procession or a religious celebration of priests in front of a temple. Along comes an expert pickpocket—or pickfoot, I don't know which you want to call him. His keen eyes, fastened on the ground, discover these desirable clogs. Thereupon he makes up his mind that he wants them.

"The first thing she knows the owner of the clogs feels an unpleasant sensation in her left foot. Naturally she wants to stop it, and quite mechanically and almost absently she slips her right foot out of its clog and begins to scratch that uncomfortable spot in her left foot with her toes. She feels relieved. Forgetting all about the incident, she becomes absorbed in the spectacle again. Soon the irritation crosses over to a similar spot in her right foot. Absently, once more, she slides her left foot out of its clog and begins to soothe the troublesome spot with her toes."

"The thief was responsible for the irritation and walked off with the clogs," I said.

"Certainly. The rascal caused the trouble with a bit of straw or wire," he returned.

"But one would think that the moment the foot of the victim touched the ground its clog would be missed and the thief would run the chance of being caught before the second could be stolen."

"Oh, that is one of the cleverest parts of the trick," explained my friend. "The thief comes supplied with a pair of cheap wooden clogs costing but a few sen, and the owner of the lacquered footgear goes away with them and never notices the difference, at least not until it is too late to profit from the knowledge."

"Are Japanese thieves so very clever, then?" I asked.

"Oh, very!" he returned. "Some time ago I heard of one of them who used to carry a handful of watch rings to fit into the stems of all sorts of watches that he might come by dishonestly. Once he lifted a watch in a train, and the owner, missing it, but not knowing who the thief was, set up a shout and had a policeman summoned. The police, to satisfy the victim, insisted that every one in the train show his watch. When the turn of the thief came he drew out of his pocket the stolen timepiece, and its original possessor, not recognizing it on account of the changed ring, missed an easy chance to regain his property.

"It was the same fellow, I believe," he continued, "who managed by the expenditure of a little money to have himself enrolled under different names in the various lists of different towns. When arrested he gave one of these various names to the authorities. The police, on looking up the record of the name given, were unable to find any black marks against it. Thus he always managed to escape with a light punishment for his first offense, committed I don't know how many times.

"But I don't know that any of these fellows were as clever as another thief I heard about. You know many of the Japanese sleep on a sort of bed made up on the floor, called a feuton. Well, an old Japanese miser kept his money in the house, concealed in a small chest of drawers. In the daytime he never took his eyes off his treasure, and at night he had his feuton pushed tightly against it, so no robber could get at his money without awakening him.

"For a long time a gang of thieves had been puzzling their brains to find a way of stealing the hoard without being detected. Well, on a certain night one of them entered the house and gently, little by little, pulled the bed on which the miser lay away from the chest of drawers. Then he quickly emptied the drawers of their currency, shoved the bed back to its original position and made his escape.

"Several days passed before the unfortunate miser detected his loss."—Chicago News.

A wise skepticism is the first attribute of a good critic.—Shakespeare.

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Trains leave Wedgemere for Boston †6.04, †6.17, †6.54, †7.07, †7.23, †7.37, †8.01, †8.14, †8.30, †8.40, §9.00, †9.04, §9.32, †10.10, †10.29, §11.10, †11.55, A. M., §12.14, §12.45, †1.11, §2.09, †3.25, §3.34, §4.15, †4.55, †5.35, §5.55, †6.28, §7.02, †7.09, §8.35, †8.35, §9.16, †9.35, †10.55, P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Stoneham †7.30, †8.58, †10.28, §10.30, A. M., †12.01, †1.44, §2.00, †2.51, †4.09, †5.01, †5.48, §5.56, †6.20, †6.48, §6.56, †7.36, §9.53, †9.58, †11.48 P. M.

† Daily except Sunday. § Sunday only. v Stop only to take passengers when signalled. f Stops on signal to take or on notice to conductor to leave passengers.

Detailed information and timetables may be obtained at ticket offices.

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Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co. Time Table.

Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54, 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutues until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

*Change at Stoneham.
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Matrons of the west may be interested to hear the details of the Nigerian native baby's morning toilet. Anything over three months old is no longer a "baby" to the native materfamilias and is bathed with the other children, generally a numerous brood, in the chill morning air before sunrise. The little mite yells lustily while the cold water is splashed over its brown body and generally continues the chorus when put aside to dry. Towels do not form part of the household equipment. The bathing process finished, the infants are subjected to a sort of water cure treatment. The mother seizes a child, scoops up a handful of water and, using her thumb as a kind of spout, squirts it with extraordinary dexterity into the youngster's mouth and down its throat. Protests in the shape of loud gurgles, horrible chokings and desperate struggling are quite unheeded. The steady stream of water continues to pour down the child's throat until the mother's practiced touch on the patient's distended stomach tells her that the limit of capacity has been reached. All babies are submitted to this treatment, which is believed to have a most strengthening effect.—London Standard.

Advice to Smokers.

Here are a number of don'ts for smokers, some of which no doubt will surprise a good many men: Don't smoke directly after a meal. There is the most irresistible craving to smoke, but it is wiser to wait a half hour or an hour. Don't smoke out of doors in a high wind or in cold, frosty weather. In the former case it is dangerous, and in the latter it cracks the lips and prevents proper breathing. Don't smoke with the cigar or pipe held at the corner of the mouth. This excites the secretion of more saliva than when the cigar or pipe is held straight in front. And, above all, don't get in the bad habit of expectorating frequently when smoking. It is quite unnecessary and merely a habit and harmful.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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TOWN DIRECTORY.

Following are the evenings set apart by the town departments as regular times of meeting:

TOWN CLERK—Daily, 8.30 to 11.30 a. m., 2 to 4.30 p. m., and Saturday evenings from 6.45 to 7.45.

SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday). Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days: 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners — Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
Park Commissioners — Preston Pond, Jere A Downs, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Means, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes.
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds.
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
Sealer of Weights and Measures—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Water Works—William T Dotten.
Constables — W R McIntosh, E F Maguire, James P Hargrove.
Inspector of Milk—Harold A Gale.
Inspector of Animals—William Buckley.
Burial Agent of deceased soldiers and sailors—Edwin Robinson.
Measurers of Wood and Bark—Benjamin T Morgan, Justin L Parker, Norman E Gates, Daniel R Beggs, John D Coakley, John C Ray.
Weighers of Coal—Benjamin T Morgan, Justin L Parker, John D Coakley, A J Fremont.
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Legal Notices.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel B White, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alfred S. Hall, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester Star, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Handel Pond, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Preston Pond and Clarence H. Pond who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, two of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

jan11* 8,15,22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W Bradstreet late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alprusia A. Bradstreet, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

jan11 8,15,22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Frank H Bowles, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur W Newell who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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8,15,22

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21. Main street, opp. Young & Brown's.
23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24. Mt Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37. Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Highland street.
41. Lake street, cor. Main street.
42. Beggs & Cobbs Tannery. (Private).
43. Main street, cor Salem street.
44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Fox, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, rear cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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ARRIVAL OF MAILS

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Boston—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 2.30, 4.30, 7 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Town Treasurer Spurr established a new record this year. His accounts were all verified, bank balances certified, outstanding interest items proved, books closed and report made and ready for the printer at six o'clock on the last day of December, 1908.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Foster will take a trip the latter part of this month to the West Indies.

Mrs. Thomas Martin of Church street gave a talk to the members of the W. C. T. U. of Winchester at its regular meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Mansfield on Yale street.

If the seating capacity of the town hall is not taxed to its utmost on the evening of Feb. 20th, it will not be the fault of "The Isle of Bamboo." Just to be present at a part of one rehearsal started me to laughing and I am laughing yet—it is awfully good.

Mr. Timothy O'Callahan and Miss Bridget M. Downing, both of this town, were married this week.

Mrs. Fred Farrow of Euclid avenue, who has been ill for the past two months, is slowly improving.

Fessenden & Hawes have fitted up a show room in connection with their office at 542 Main street where they will carry a good assortment of caskets and funeral supplies. All funeral paraphernalia is new and up to date and satisfaction is guaranteed.

Dartmouth hockey team defeated the hockey team of the Winchester Country Club on the Mystic Saturday afternoon by the score of 5 to 0. Although each man on the Winchester team played well, there was a lack of team work and Dartmouth won easily.

Woburn having elected a Democratic Council, will turn the "rascals" out, and put in their places the faithful of that party. The city treasurer, collector, auditor and clerk of committees will have to go. These are some of the benefits that result from partizan politics in cities.

Miss Alice Skillings is spending the winter in Bermuda.

The Concert which was to have been given by the Helen Reynolds Trio, assisted by Miss Dorothy Brown, on Jan. 12th, has been postponed to a date which will be announced later.

The second in the series of Assemblys given by Miss Margaret French was held in the Town Hall on last Saturday evening. The matrons were Mrs. John W. Suter, Mrs. James H. Dwinell and Mrs. Frederick M. Ives.

On New Year's night a largely attended reception and dance was given at the Calumet Club by Mrs. Roland H. Sherman and Mrs. John E. Page. From eight until ten a reception was held by the ladies and their husbands, dancing following until one. A large orchestra was in attendance for the evening and the club was decorated with festoons of laurel and colored lights. The ladies were assisted by Messrs. D. Nelson Skillings, Edwin R. Rooney, William I. Palmer, Maurice Brown, Joshua Kelley, F. Nelson Hawley and Marcus B. May.

Winchester Savings Bank

Money deposited on before January 20th, 1909, will draw interest from that date.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Richard's Class of the Second Congregational Sunday School, Cross street, has completed arrangements for an entertainment—the Old Maid's Convention—to be given at the Church Tuesday evening, Jan. 12 at 8 o'clock. It will be well worth seeing, as much pleasure is assured.

We have been obliged to attach a stamp to some of the papers sent out to delinquent subscribers in order to comply with the postoffice law, and others will be added to the list from time to time as we go over the accounts. In a few cases the names of those indebted for subscriptions have been dropped from the mailing list and the accounts given to an attorney for adjustment. This we very much regret to do, but there seems to be no other course to persue when parties are not willing to deal honorably with us.

The late Charles W. Bradstreet left $100 to the town library to be known as the Charles W. Bradstreet fund the income of which to be used as the trustees shall determine. Also he left $100 to the library at Newburyport, his native city, under the same conditions, and also $100 to the Anna Jaques Hospital of the same city. The sum of $1000 or more is to be used to erect a monument in his lot in Wildwood. After making small gifts to several friends the residue of his estate is given to his widow.

Secure your tickets at once for the Benefit Concert, at Knight's or Abare's.

Order Covel's ice cream now for your Sunday dinner.

Will the man who took the wrong crush hat from the Calumet club on the night of Jan. 1st, kindly communicate with Mr. R. H. Sherman, tel. Winchester 227.

A Conference of Women's Auxiliaries to the Y. M. C. A. of the Third District will be held at the Methodist Church, Jan. 13th at 10.30. Afternoon session at 1.45. A very interesting program has been arranged. Mrs. F. W. Cole soloist. Public cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kendall are stopping at Sunland Villa, Pasadena, Cal., where they will remain for the next two months. They report a most delightful trip so far, and have visited Riverside, Redlands, Coronado Beach, and on Christmas Day took a trip to Tia Juana, Mexico, returning to the Hotel del Coronado in the evening for the big Christmas banquet. After their two months' stay at Sunland Villa they are planning to go to San Francisco, stopping off at points of interest on the way, take a trip through the Yosemite Valley and return home about May first.

Old Farmers Almanacs—Wilson the Stationer'.

May White Tedford, reader and entertainer, will give private lessons in elocution and dramatic work, 31 Vine street. js4t

Mrs. H. S. Underwood is on the sick list.

Mrs. Bradbury is reported more comfortable.

Mrs. Fred Rhodes and family returned to Short Hill, N. J., this week accompanied by her mother.

Mrs. Mary Page is able to be out after an illness.

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The newly elected and appointed officers of Waterfield lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed Monday evening. The installing ceremony was performed by D. D. G. M., W. S. Lister and suite from Columbia lodge of Stoneham. After the ceremony a collation was served in the banquet hall. The officers installed are James O. Howard, N. G.; Frank H. Higgins, V. G.; Warren F. Foster, rec. sec.; J. Albert Hersey, fin. sec.; Clarence J. Allen, treas.; Benj. Edwards, warden; George A. Ambler, conductor; W. B. Steward, chaplain; D. W. Gurney, R. S. S.; Charles E. Esbach, L. S. S.; George A. Dupee, R. S. N. G.; W. A. Newth, L. S. N. G.; Merton L. Scribner, I. G.; William A. Nicholson, O. G.; James McLaughlin trustee for three years.

The Vincent girls will hold their second annual dancing party in Lyceum hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 3. The proceeds will be devoted to a local charity.

Don't forget the date of the Benefit Concert for the sufferers in Italy. It is Jan. 14, 8 p. m., Town Hall, Winchester.

Covel's homemade candies are delicious.

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be postponed one week and there will be an all day meeting with Mrs. R. M. Armstrong on Tuesday, Jan. 19th at 10 a. m. Basket lunch.

Mrs. Philip Hammond is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Frank Pratt went to a Boston hospital this week suffering from a form of blood poisoning in his feet. Last summer Mr. Pratt was poisoned by the dye from a pair of stockings it was thought. At that time he was confined to his house for about two months. Recently the trouble again appeared.

Mrs. Laura M. Clark of Somerville, sister to Mrs. John L. Ayer, died at her home on Glenwood avenue, that city, yesterday. Funeral services are to be held from the residence Saturday, Jan. 9, at 1.30 p. m.

Shrubs, Trees, Vines and Rosebushes We grow them, sell them and plant them California Privet and Berberis Thumbergii for hedging one of our specialties. A. M. TUTTLE, & CO., Tel. 169-3 Melrose, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Robbins of Lebanon street, left Tuesday for Redlands, Cal., where they will pass the winter. Mr. Robbins, who is ill with bronchial trouble and overwork, hopes that a change of climate will be beneficial.

Mrs. Addie Stone was in town last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Vinton attended the ninetieth birthday observance of Mrs. Adaline Richardson at Stoneham last week. Mr. Vinton is a nephew of the venerable lady.

According to the recent statement of the state tax commission, the highest tax in any Massachusetts town is $25.30, which is paid by Norfolk. Gosnold down on Elizabeth islands has the lowest, $8.20.

Dogs carried on the Boston & Maine are now charged for at baggage rates.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Kendall of Stevens street announce the engagement of their daughter, Edith May to Mr. James Rumford Baldwin of Woburn, formerly of Winchester.

Winchester real estate, unlike stocks, is not affected by presidential elections. Why not get a home this winter.

From present indications the contest for posters, "The Isle of Bamboo" will be taken up with a great deal of interest among the High school scholars.

When you want ice cream go to Covel's.

Mrs. Fullum, of the Old Peoples Home, who has been ill is much better.

Representative Frank E. Barnard has been appointed by the Speaker of the House a member of the standing committee on Bills in the third reading, and also on the joint standing committee on legal affairs.

The late Handel Pond in his will left $500 to the Home for Aged People in Winchester. The Home is doing a most excellent work and it has many loyal friends.

Line-a-Day books, all kinds, Wilson the Stationer.

A rare musical treat at the Town Hall, Jan. 14, 8 p. m. Everyone come and help the poor victims of the earthquake in Italy and Sicily.

Word has been received from Dr. G. N. P. Mead and Mr. Edmund H. Garrett announcing the safety of their party during the recent earthquake in Italy. No details of the escape of the party or of their experiences has yet been received.

Mr. William B. Simonds of Hollis, N. H., formerly of this town, underwent an operation for appendicitis at his home last Saturday. In operating the physicians found conditions which they were unable to combat and the wound was closed without the removal of the appendix. His death is momentarily expected. Mr. Simonds has hosts of friends in Winchester and is the father of Mr. Roland E. Simonds of Vine street.

A sure way of getting contentment is by purchasing a building lot in Wedgemere. Geo. Adams Woods.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Appropriations Committee held its first meeting Wednesday night and arranged for future meetings and talked over town affairs. Mr. Maurice F. Brown and P. G. Gray were elected to fill vacancies. The next meeting will be on the 18th inst. Mr. Allan Chamberlain having left town and Mr. Marshall Jones being now on the Board of Health resigned from the committee.

Miss Mollie Donovan of Cross street has been chosen president of the Young Ladies' Catholic Alumni at the Academy of Notre Dame of which she is a graduate.

Special for Saturday, Jan. 9th, old fashion chocolates. Regular price 25 a pound, special 19 cents. Covel.

A good opportunity for everyone to give something in aid of the earthquake survivors, Jan. 14, 8 p. m. Town Hall.

Mr. Joseph M. Mirron is dangerously ill at the Mass. General Hospital with typhoid fever. He returned just before Christmas from a trip through the South for the H. B. Ives Co., of New Haven Conn. It is supposed that the desease germs entered his system with the water which is not very good in the Southern States.

A diary is a mighty handy reference a year from now. All styles at Wilson's.

Mr. Isaac I. Doane of Fletcher street is confined to his bed through illness.

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Get that diary now. You will find a good assortment at Wilson the Stationer's. If he has not got your number he will get it.

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There will be a series of free clinics given at the Harvard Dental School, North Grove street, Boston, once a a week for the remainder of the winter. This work is conducted by different men appointed by the dean of the school. Dr. Rogers of this town will be in charge of the clinic Jan. 16th from two to five. This is an opportunity for any deserving Winchester family to obtain dental work. It must be remembered that this work is wholly for the needy and any person able to consult a dentist must not apply.

Mrs. Thompson, who has been visiting at the home of her mother on Lloyd street, returned to her home in Concord, N. H., Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Bower of Washington street, returned from Hartford, Conn., where she has been spending the week visiting her parents.

Tickets for the Benefit Concert to be given in the Town Hall on Jan. 14, are on sale now at Knight's and Abare's Drug Stores at popular prices $1, 50c and 35c.

Representative Fred F. Walker of Burlington has been honored by the Speaker of the House he being placed on the committees on Agriculture and Prisons.

On account of its great success, the "Circus Girl" will run another week at the Castle Square theatre.

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All our Christmas china, pincushions and novelties are half price to close.

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A good roast,	12c lb	Kidney Chops,	25c lb
Best Rump Steak,	30c lb	Rib Chops,	20c lb
Top of Round Steak,	23c lb	A good Lamb Chop,	15c lb
Sirloin Steak,	25c lb	Pieces for Stewing,	8c lb
Hamburger Steak,	10c lb		
Corned Beef Tongue,	12c lb		
PORK			
Fresh, Corned and Smoked Shoulders,	8c lb	Boiled Hams,	25c lb
Whole Hams,	12c lb	Bacon by the Strip,	15c lb
Sliced Ham,	18c lb	Pork Steak,	10c lb

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No. 15 Harvard street, two tenement house in good repair, nine rooms and bath, two front doors, for sale at a big bargain. Small payment down, balance on very easy terms. G. EDWARD SMITH, 387 Washington St., Boston, 12 to 1. n30 tf

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FOUND.

An individual butter spreader, beaded edge, trade mark T. E., with figure of an owl. Owner can have same by sending name to box 84 Winchester P. O.

LOST.

Child's gold chain with locket set with blue torquoise, lost just before Christmas. Finder address Mrs. W. E. Chamberlain, 34 Wildwood street. Reward.

LOST.

On Ogden avenue, Jan. 21, a pocketbook containing silver, stamps and receipts. Will finder return same to 16 Ogden avenue.

TO LET.

Tenement of six rooms at rear of 670 Main street. Apply to R. C. Hawes, 400 Main street. janltf

TO LET.

Tenement with four rooms for adults only. Apply 670 Main Street, H. W. Folsom. d11,tf

TO LET.

The attractively situated house No. 9 Pine street, with commodious stable suitable for a garage. House and man's quarters in stable, steam heated, and house has all modern improvements. Apply at 88 Church street, or 53 State street, Boston, room 804. janl, tf

TO LET.

Tenement of 5 rooms on Winchester place good location. T. PRICE WILSON, Star Office tf

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MARCUS B. MAY

Has Always Taken a Deep Interest in Public Schools.

Marcus B. May, Esq., who was elected a member of the School Board at a joint meeting of the Selectmen and members of the School Board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. F. H. Means, has always taken a deep interest in town affairs, and as a member of the Appropriations Committee has rendered valuable service. He will give his best thought and time to the welfare of the schools.

Mr. May was born on March 5, 1869, and until December 1894 lived in Washington, D. C. He was graduated from the Law School of the Columbian University in June, 1894, and that same month he was admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. In 1899 he was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States. He is a member of the firm of Wright, Brown, Quinby & May, having offices in Exchange Building, Boston, their practice being mainly in the Federal Courts of the various circuits. Mr. May has always been interested in the public Schools, having graduated from the High School at Washington, D. C. He is a Junior Warden of the Church of the Epiphany and a member of William Parkman Lodge, and has served on various town committees including the Appropriations committee.

A HARD FOUGHT GAME

In Which Winchester Country Club Is Defeated

The Brae-Burn hockey team defeated the Winchester Country Club at the Brae-Burn rink last Saturday afternoon in a hard fought game, 2 to 1. This was the first contest for both teams in the Boston Ice Hockey League, and it was necessary to play three extra periods of five minutes each before the game was finally decided.

Winchester scored in the first period in 10 minutes, when F. L. Hunt shot the puck into the goal after some clever passing by the Winchester forwards. In the second period the puck was in the territory of the Winchester goal nearly all of the time. Whittemore shot the first goal for the Brae-Burn team in the middle of the second period.

In the extra periods the playing was fast and both games were about equal in team work and passing. The game was rough, and both sides did considerable body checking. At the time the deciding point was scored, Skillings, the Winchester point, was off the ice on account of pushing.

The line up:

BRAE-BURN.	WINCHESTER C. C.
Bullivant f	f F. L. Hunt
Whittemore f	f Russell
Mason (Mackay) f	f Bradly (Lawson)
Whidden (Knowle) c p	c p Hurd
Pierce c p	c p Hurd
Gibson (Mason) p	p Lawson (Skillings)
Bray g	g Gifford

Score—Brae-Burn 2 Winchester C. C. 1. Goals made by—Whittemore 2 F. L. Hunt. Referee—Wait. Time—Two 20 and three five minute periods.

JOSEPH MERRITT MITTON.

The news of the death of Joseph M. Mitton last Sunday afternoon of pneumonia, following the news that he had successfully passed the crisis of typhoid fever the day before, was a great shock to his many friends, all of whom expected that his recovery would follow.

Mr. Mitton returned to his home in Winchester from a business trip through the South at Christmas and it is supposed that he contracted the germs of typhoid fever. When he was taken sick with the disease he was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hospital, and after a week's stay, during which time he successfully passed the crisis of the fever, he succumbed on Sunday afternoon to pneumonia. He was 21 years of age.

Joseph Merritt Mitton was born in this town, his parents being Joseph M. and Mary J. (Hopper) Mitton. He leaves besides his mother, two brothers—Albert and Harry, and one sister—Cora, all of this town. The young man was in the employ of the H. B. Ives Hardware Co. of New Haven, Conn., and formerly a prominent member of the Y. M. C. A. basket ball team.

Funeral services of a simple nature were held from his late home, No. 34 Vine street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor of the First Baptist Church. There was a large attendance of the friends of the young man, and the floral remembrances were very profuse and beautiful. The remains were placed in the receiving tomb at Wildwood.

ISAAC IRVING DOANE DEAD.

Stenographer of Middlesex Superior Court — Man of Great Ability and Many Lovable Qualities.

Isaac I. Doane, who for 20 years had been stenographer at the Superior Court of Middlesex County at East Cambridge, died last Friday morning at his home, 55 Fletcher street.

Mr. Doane served at the last term of the court, which ended Dec. 20, 1908, and although not being in the best of health, expected to go into the present January session. Fearing a nervous breakdown, however, he was excused by the chief justice.

Two weeks ago he was about the court house, but left again. It was realized by his friends that he was far from being a well man, but the news of his death came as a great surprise and shock to them.

Mr. Doane had resided in Winchester for 40 years. He was 59 years of age and was the son of Mary F. and the late Capt. Isaac S. Doane of Orleans. He leaves a wife and a sister and mother residing in Milton.

Mr. Doane was probably the oldest official court stenographer, and his associates recall his splendid recommendations to appointment, including the leading lawyers of Suffolk and Middlesex counties and such prominent men as Benj. F. Butler, R. M. Morse, Louis S. Dabney and William Gaston.

Prior to his appointment to the Superior Court Mr. Doane acted as stenographer for the leading attorneys of Boston in important private cases. Later when his appointment as official stenographer came, it was with the good will and influence of the best-known lawyers at the bar. It is said that no man could have held credentials more complimentary.

His steadfastness, application, absolute accuracy and sense of honor brought to him the complete reliance of the judges with whose courts he was connected. Moreover, he was a man of a high degree of common sense, which increased his value.

Mr. Doane will be remembered kindly by all who came in contact with him at East Cambridge for his affability, courtesy and his fund of good stories. He was always alert and extremely interesting when in a reminiscent mood, telling anecdotes of the many judges under whom he sat.

For over 25 years he had his office with the law firm of Washburn & Mayberry, 6 Ashburton place. From the moment he became court stenographer he preserved his stenographic notes, each book being labelled with extreme care. It used to be his habit at East Cambridge to take down a book at random, dating back many years, and going over his notes, and it was his boast that he could read the notes as readily as when they were first made, a feat that will be of interest to all disciples of shorthand.

He was a gentleman, a good friend and companion, jovial and genial, and a man whose loss will be distinctly felt in the circles in which he moved.

A large company of relatives and friends attended the funeral services held Sunday at his late home in Winchester, many business friends coming from Boston and Cambridge. The services were conducted by Rev. D. Augustine Newton, pastor of the First Congregational Church, the choir singing "Lead Kindly Light" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

The affectionate regard and esteem of many was shown in the beautiful floral tributes sent.

The interment was at Orleans Monday, January eleventh.

BANK OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Middlesex County National Bank Tuesday the following were reelected:

Directors—Frank A. Cutting, president; Frank L. Ripley, vice president; James W. Russell, vice president; Fred L. Pattee, Freeland E. Hovey, George A. Fernald and Charles E. Barrett, cashier.

The reports show that the bank had a most prosperous year, and that there had been a large increase in the number of depositors.

The matter of erecting a new bank building was informally discussed, but pending the settlement of the question of abolishing the grade crossing at the centre, it was deemed best to make no move.

THE MOTHERS' ASSOCIATION

The January meeting is unavoidably postponed to February the 17th, owing to absence of some of the officers. Due notice will be given. Please extend this notice, and be prepared for the annual meeting February 17th.

Nicholas J. Cuddy and Catherine Hogan, both of Lake street were married last evening.

THE PIN COMMITTEE MATTER.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

In school matters a man or woman with a real "grievance" is bad enough to handle, but when it comes to a man with a grievance based upon some petty incident in school life, it is a strain upon one's patience and good nature. I refer to the letter in last week's STAR, signed by Mr. R. D. A. Thompson. Under cover of a "grievance" Mr. Thompson claims that "something is wrong in the moral education of the scholars of the Winchester schools." In support of this sweeping and serious accusation against 1800 boys and girls, he proceeds to say that he was recently informed "that the so-called 'pin-committee' of the freshman class in the High School had agreed to purchase pins of no concern unless free pins were furnished the committee."

If Mr. Thompson was thus informed, he was told, I firmly believe, something that was absolutely false.

As is usual with the various High School Classes, a so-called Executive Committee was elected by the present freshman class,—the Class of 1912. One of the duties of the committee was to contract with sundry jewelry firms to furnish class pins. This Executive Committee was made up of five members, three young ladies and two young men; viz: Helen F. Ordway, Esther Parshley Lillian Winn, Paul Means and Homer W. Colgate.

The members of this Class of 1912 evidently knew what they were about. The standing and character of this pin committee needs no word of commendation from me. It speaks for itself. After several consultations with Mr. Lovering and Superintendent Herron, I called these five young people to the High School Library last Tuesday and had a somewhat protracted and frank talk with each member about the pin business. The preliminaries of this class pin contract followed the usual trend of such affairs. The committee approached several firms of the best standing in this vicinity and half a dozen representatives from these firms made their several bids. Each and every member of the pin committee denies that any overtures were made by them, directly or indirectly, or by the jewelry firms, directly or indirectly by which they "agreed to purchase pins of no concern unless free pins were furnished the sub-committee." The various jewelers from whom they had samples told them that, when pins were furnished in quantities as large as they were to order, no charge was ever made for the purchasing committee. After some consideration the design was selected and the order placed without this fact influencing in any degree the decision.

In brief, it has been customary in this vicinity for at least ten years for jewelers and photographers to furnish pins and photographs to each member of the purchasing committee without charge. This is regarded as a kind of reasonable compensation for the time, trouble, and cash expended while arranging the details of the trade. These young people tell me that they followed the usual rule this year and that the idea of any such thing as might be construed as "graft" never entered their heads. From a somewhat extended personal acquaintance with them, I firmly believe that they told me the plain, straight truth about the whole matter and that they acted in perfectly good faith in the whole transaction.

Can a jewelry firm afford to give away five pins free whenever they sell fifty pins for $2.40 each to a High School class? Certainly. The first cost of such things is mostly for the die. The second cost is small. Certain firms make a specialty of this kind of school and college trade and greatly prosper thereby. Do these firms as Mr. Thompson intimates, charge off the price of five pins to the cost of the forty-five pins that are paid for? By no means. Why not? Because the profit is so great on the sale of forty-five pins that the mere fact of giving away five need not be taken into account.

In the course of his letter, Mr. Thompson says "a subsequent conversation both with Mr. Herron, our Superintendent, and Mr. Lovering brought forth the very startling expression that while they believed it wrong they were powerless to stop it." Both Mr. Lovering and Mr. Herron feel that this statement may give an erroneous impression. The matter was discussed by Mr. Thompson and Mr. Lovering over the telephone. Upon investigation Mr. Lovering found that several weeks had passed since the committee had given the contract and decided that it would not be best to compel the class to cancel its order. In a talk over the telephone with Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Herron approved Mr. Lovering's decision for the reason given as well as for the added consideration that after a committee had taken action in accordance with custom, to require a change would not be strictly reasonable.

Mr. Thompson claims that this incident is an apt illustration of "graft" and that few of the parents of Winchester are acquainted with the fact. It is in no wise a question of "graft." It is not even a question of right or wrong. These young people simply followed the custom that has been perpetuated all these years. I graduated at a City High School in this state over forty years ago. The ring committee got their rings gratis then. I venture to say that this custom is still in vogue at that High School. Forty years ago I graduated at college. I happened to be the only member of a class committee to contract for photographs. On each trip to the contractor I travelled three hundred miles at a cost of some money, time and trouble. I had my photographs gratis and thought I paid dearly for the honor. I am told that this same custom exists at this same college even to this year.

No, Mr. Editor, it is not a question of "graft" or even of right or wrong. It is not even a question of getting something for nothing. If it is anything beside an unwise custom, it is a mere breach of decorum. A large High School is a little world in itself. The various members in classes take great pride in doing things fairly and squarely. They are very jealous and tenacious of their rights and privileges. They are keenly sensitive to any reflections on their integrity and business honor. There is nothing wrong in the "moral education" of our Winchester schools except in the disordered imagination of some correspondent who is beset with the idea of rushing into print.

ALBERT F. BEAISDELL,
Chairman of School Committee.

Winchester, Jan. 13, 1909.

A SPLENDID CONCERT.

The concert for the benefit of the Italian sufferers which was given in the Town Hall last evening was a great success from every standpoint. It was one of those occasions when audience and artist meet on a common ground producing an evening of rare enjoyment not soon forgotten.

The opportunity of hearing Signor Capelloni, who is spending his first season in America, and who has a baritone voice, combining sweetness and strength, together with a fine stage presence, gave unalloyed pleasure to all.

Miss Hagenow played the "Liszt Cantique d'Amour" with taste and feeling, her modest graciousness assisting the artistic side of her work, the encore, "Madrigal by Simonetti," was played with a beautiful singing tone.

Miss Trecartin is no stranger in Winchester and her appearance last evening was the signal for a genuine greeting for her beautiful soprano voice never sounded better.

To Mr. Phippen came the difficult part of opening the program, but he was fully equal to the task as was shown by the well merited applause he received. His own arrangement of the "Sextette in Lucia di Lammermore" is interesting and it is to be hoped will be published soon.

The Tolmanina Trio appeared for the first time before the public of Winchester, although some have had the pleasure of hearing the Trio in private recitals. These young women play as if they were interested in their work and each other, for there is no attempt to exploit self to the sacrifice of effect, but the ensemble showed a selflessness which was refreshing.

Miss Gertrude Marshall's difficult solo brought out many phases of the violin not commonly heard and showed musical attainment unusual in such a young woman, the encore "Les Adieux by Sarasate" was also greatly enjoyed.

The concert devolved largely upon Miss A. Laura Tolman who surely felt she was in the hands of her friends, for the outburst of applause on her appearance must have repaid her for the care and labor she bestowed upon the concert. Miss Tolman's cello solos were played with her usual depth and feeling. It is indeed a relief to hear the sonority and richness she produces.

It is to be hoped that Miss Winslow may be heard in a piano solo in Winchester, for her accompaniments and ensemble gave much pleasure. Her support and sympathy, combined with an extremely rich tone production made her auditors wish that they might hear her alone.

BUSINESS MEN'S CONFERENCE.

Next Sunday, the Business Men's Conference will begin a series of studies on "Women in Industry." Miss Carrie E. Small of the Women's Industrial Union of Boston will be the speaker. Miss Small has made a study of this subject and is particularly familiar with both its scientific and practical side.

The first talk and discussion will be on the general subject of "Working Women," followed on 24th and 31st taking up "Women's Wages" and "Effect on Home Life."

These talks will be interesting and instructive. The Conference meets in First Baptist Chapel at 12 m., closing at 1 p. m. sharp.

All citizens of Winchester are welcome. Anyone can take part in the discussion.

Miss Tolman wishes to extend her thanks to all who assisted in the concert of last evening. The untiring efforts of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Nichols is deeply appreciated.

THE JAPANESE GIRL.

A delightful entertainment, and a delighted audience,—that is the final impression left as one recalls the evening of Jan. 8th, when Winchester and Arlington young ladies joined to show how a Japanese girl celebrates her arrival at the mature age of eighteen. The stage of Lyceum Hall has rarely, if ever, been more tastefully decorated, with flowers, vines, bamboo, and wisteria, with the sacred mountain Fuji in the distance, all suggestive of the fairy land of Japan. Misses Holman, Herrick, Wulkop, Fernald, Mills, Katt, Hunt, and Towne, acted as ushers, dressed prettily in imitation of the Japanese style. The audience itself seemed to become a part of the play, entering into the mood of the bright music and the grace of the actors on the stage. Applause frequently punctuated the performance, and flowers were freely bestowed upon the singers.

The scenes were taken from the custom of celebrating birthdays in Japan, excellent use being made of the folk-idea that one may impart his spirit to a bird, which is thus able to represent him in his bodily absence. Thus, the father of O Hana San, the heroine, being unable to be present at the celebration of his daughter's birthday, sent a bird into which he had breathed his spirit, and the duet—or rather conversation—between the young lady and the bird was most effective. This same O Hanu San or "Beautiful flower," Mrs. John F. Scully,—won much applause for her singing, which was of an unusually high order. She was ably seconded by Miss Yeams and Miss Chick, who, as "Sweet Chrysanthemum" and "Tears of Bliss," received many marks of approval. Cha-ya, the servant (Mrs. Robert A. Hernandez), was an excellent type of the ever-busy, over-burdened person who never gets anything done, and Miss Minerva Knowall (Mrs. Torrance Parker) illustrated at once the fussy but inefficient chaperone and the sight-seer who sees nothing. The "Twins (Miss Margaret French and Miss Frances Elder) danced and twisted and sang themselves into the good graces of all in a moment, and were criticised only for the brevity of their part. The Chorus—Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Frost, and Misses Low, Tait, Fitzpatrick and Bott, of Arlington, and Mrs. James Nowell, and Miss Forbes of Winchester, looked and acted and sang their parts to the delight of all, and the Dancing Girls,—Mrs. Thacher, Mrs. Turner, Miss Fletcher and Miss Hicks, richly deserved the applause and recall they received.

A special word should be said for the orchestra, most of whose members were well-known players in Winchester. Mr. Kilburn led from the piano. Misses Kellogg and Wingate, with Mr. Makechnie and Mr. Pinfield, were the violinists, Miss Grebe played the viola, Mr. Bicknell the 'cello, Mr. Redding the clarinet, Mr. Wills the flute, and and Miss Newman the drums. Only players of high attainment could have rendered the airy music of the Operetta so gracefully, and in so excellent harmony; and when it is remembered that so few opportunities for rehearsal were possible, the wonder grows that the result was so eminently satisfactory. Winchester has a right to be proud of its musicians.

A side light on the entertainment was afforded by the comment of one familiar with Japan life, to the effect that this Operetta, with its setting, was the nearest to the real scenery and spirit of that country of any entertainment he had ever seen given in America. The scene in which the young ladies made obeisance before the Mikado's portrait was peculiarly touching. It would be difficult to express the obligation of the audience to the musicians, the actresses, and to Mrs. William B. French, Mrs. James Nowell and Miss Nourse, who worked together so efficiently to bring it all to so high a degree of excellence.

MRS. JANE LENFEST.

Mrs. Jane Lenfest, aged 84 years passed away at the home of her son, Mr. Granville B. Lenfest, No. 434 Main street, on Sunday after an illness of about two weeks. The cause of her death was pneumonia.

Mrs. Lenfest was born in Halifax, N. S. Previous to her coming to Winchester five years ago to make her home with her son, she resided in Chelsea and Cambridge, in the latter place she being quite widely known and having many friends. She leaves beside Mr. Granville B. Lenfest one other son, Mr. Charles G. Lenfest of Chelsea.

Funeral services, conducted by Rev. Perry Bush of Chelsea, were held from the residence on Tuesday at 1 o'clock. The interment was at Mt. Auburn cemetery.

CONFERENCE OF WOMEN'S AUXILIARIES.

The third district conference of Women's Auxiliaries to the Y. M. C. A. including the towns of Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Malden, Somerville, Watertown and Winchester was held in the local Methodist Church on Wednesday. Opening at 10.30 a. m., an interesting program was followed which closed at 3.30 in the afternoon. The address of welcome was ably given by Mrs. Edward L. Dunning of the local auxiliary, and several solos were very acceptably rendered by Mrs. F. W. Cole. At noon lunch was served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Church. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. F. O. Robinson, Cambridge, Mrs. J. C. Macy, Somerville, Mrs. R. M. Armstrong, Winchester.

A HOSPITAL IN WINCHESTER

It now seems probable that before another year the long-felt need of a hospital in Winchester may be realized.

Mrs. Sophronia A. Harrington, wishing to create a lasting memorial to her son, the late Mr. Frank Harrington, for over thirty years a resident of Winchester, whose death occurred in June of last year, proposes to make use of $50,000 of her inheritance to establish a hospital in Winchester, and has asked the assistance and co-operation of seven townsmen as to the best means of putting her plan into effect.

Messrs. Lewis Parkhurst, William B. French, Preston Pond, William D. Richards, John L. Ayer, Alfred S. Higgins and Nelson H. Seeley have consented to give their services in investigating the whole hospital question.

The need and the best way to meet the need, its cost and location, also a study of the standard required today for a modern hospital approved by the best medical talent, and commanding the confidence of the rich and the trust of the poor. The committee have entered into their work with great interest and public spirit.

At the first meeting they decided the best method of procedure was to form a corporation by a special legislative act, and a petition has been filed to incorporate under the name of "The Winchester Hospital."

The committee have a large and important task, but they are men used to the work of promoting the welfare of Winchester, and are sure to have the confidence and gratitude of our people in giving so much of their time in working out the many problems surrounding the establishment of a hospital in our town.

With the conclusions of the committee known, an organization completed, building plans well considered, the attention of our townsmen and women will be called at once to what has been accomplished, and an opportunity offered to give freely of time and money in promoting a work so beneficent.

It is earnestly hoped that the Committee and the Trustees to follow will meet with the hearty co-operation from all, and so make this noble gift a blessing to the community, a success and honor to the town of Winchester.

Following is a copy of the petition to the Legislature to incorporate The Winchester Hospital, and also a copy of the proposed act.

PETITION.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled.

The undersigned citizens of Winchester respectfully represent that there is need of a hospital in said town of Winchester, and that one of its citizens has offered to substantially endow such a hospital if established.

Wherefore they pray that they, their associates and successors may be made a corporation by the name of The Winchester Hospital, for the purpose of establishing a hospital, as provided by the accompanying bill.

Lewis Parkhurst, George Harrington, Preston Pond, William D. Richards, Alfred S. Higgins, Nelson H. Seelye, John L. Ayer, William B. French.

THE PROPOSED ACT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by authority of the same, as follows:

Section 1. Lewis Parkhurst, George Harrington, Preston Pond, William D. Richards, Alfred S. Higgins, Nelson H. Seelye, John L. Ayer and William B. French, their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of The Winchester Hospital, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital in the town of Winchester for the care and treatment of sick and disabled persons, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and restrictions and liabilities set forth in the general laws which now are or may hereafter be in force relating to such corporations; and for the purpose aforesaid, said corporation may hold real and personal property not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in value.

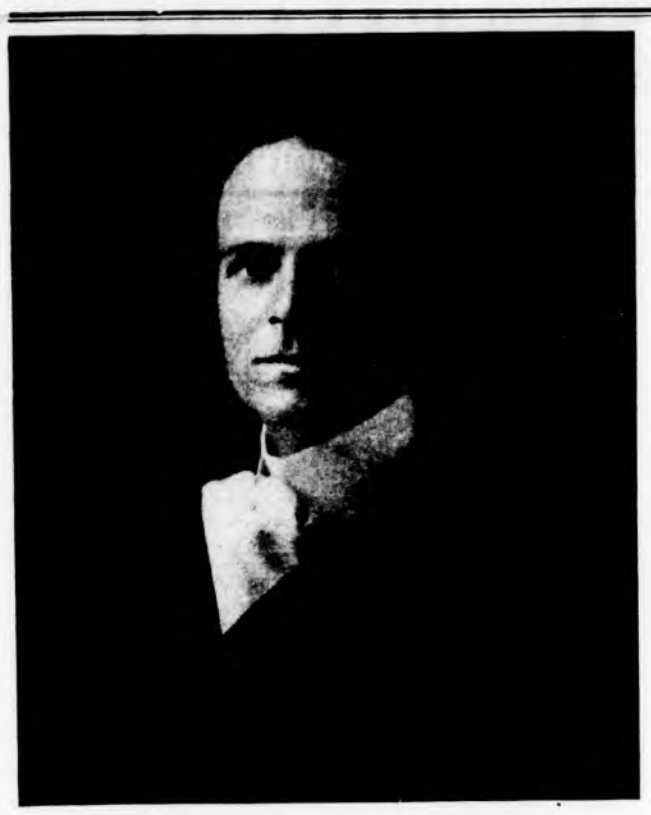
Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

B. Y. P. U. ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union occurred on Monday evening. Reports revealed a year of splendid progress. The receipts for current expenses were $37.17, and for missions, $116.14; and for socials, $16.78; making total receipts for all purposes, $160.09. During the year twenty-two members were added to the society; of these five were active and seventeen associate. A native helper on the foreign field has been supported by the society for a number of years. Also liberal support has been given to the work of evangelizing foreigners in our common wealth.

The new officers for 1909 are: Thomas Crawford, president; Miss Jessie L. Macdonald, vice president; J. Albert Hersey, secretary; Miss Helen M. Palmer, current expense treasurer; Miss Emma J. Moulton corresponding secretary and Miss Agnes Crawford, missionary treasurer.

The study of missions has been a feature of the society's work for several years. Last year two books of eight lessons each were studied; one on foreign work, and the other on home work. The average attendance in the last series was over fifteen. Much profit is derived from these studies.



CHARLES H. MOSELEY.

A WINCHESTER BOY.

The Boston Boot and Shoe Recorder has the following regarding Charles H. Moseley, one of Winchester's bright young business men:

To begin right is no doubt the secret of most of our leading business men's success. Charles H. Moseley certainly obtained this advantage when fifteen years ago he entered the employ of White Bros. & Co., one of the most exacting and famous of Boston's leather firms. To work for this concern for any length of time a man or boy had to have unusual hustling abilities and considerable intelligence. Concerning Mr. Moseley in this connection, suffice to say that he was a White pupil for seven years and only graduated to take a more remunerative position with the Herman Zohrlant Leather Co.

He later became identified with the selling department of the old reputable house of Avery & Lowry. Two years ago when Lloyd & Richards, Inc., began to manufacture "Bucking Colt" patent leather sides at Camden, N. J., he accepted, and still retains, the management of their business in New England, and the success he has met with in the sale of this meritorious leather is too well known in the trade to need comment.

Personally Mr. Moseley is of a retiring disposition, on the whole, but when he is talking "Bucking Colt" he is all life and energetic animation; and having the greatest faith in the quality of his firm's product, this adds in no small measure to its sale. It might be mentioned incidentally that he is a a grand-nephew of Alexander Moseley, one of the old time most prominent Boston leather merchants and pioneers of the industry in the Hub, and the builder of the Beggs & Cobb tannery, Mr. Moseley's father being superintendent. Mr. Moseley is thirty-three years old, is blessed with a charming wife and three bouncing and handsome children.

THE INEFFICIENCY OF THE SCHOOLS.

EDITOR of THE STAR:

Mr. E. D. A. Thompson in your issue of the 8th inst. publishes a communication under the caption "Schools Might Improve Moral Education." One paragraph in particular is important:

"Something is wrong with the Winchester schools, not only along the line of strict educational methods, but in the moral education of the scholars."

The Winchester schools are not the only ones where improvement might be made. Communities all over the land are experiencing the same inefficiency of the schools. In connection with the discussion now going on in The STAR I believe that the following editorial article from a recent issue of The Chronicle of Cambridge will make interesting reading. It covers a number of aspects of the public school situation not touched upon by your correspondents. To those public spirited men and women interested in the regeneration and rehabilitation of the schools it contains a number of very valuable pointers. Here it is:

"That the unsatisfactory social and political conditions with which we are surrounded at the present time are largely due to the inefficiency and inadequacy of the public schools is undoubtedly susceptible of proof. The ignorance which to a great degree is responsible for crime, the apathy which permits our municipalities and sometimes our states to become the prey of incompetents and grafters, the complacency with which the ordinary citizen allows his pocket to be picked and his contribution to the common good to be misapplied, are all traceable in a way to the fact that the present generation during its years of education was not trained to comprehend or guard against such evils. That man is an ultra optimist, indeed, who deceives himself into believing that the next generation will take up its labor of maintaining and improving our social and political systems with clearer vision, sounder judgment or better equipped intellect, for it is hardly true that our schools have improved much in the past thirty years along the lines of practical educational development. A great deal of experimenting has been done, much to the advantage of textbook publishers and school supply houses, but no radical steps have been taken looking to the establishment of a concrete, commonsense system of education such as rapidly changing conditions demand.

"When it is considered that with its swift advance in art, science and commercialism, this republic is staggering blindly into political complications, the like of which the world has never known before; when it is considered that the intelligence and discretion of the mass of the people are fundamentally responsible for the very existence and perpetuity of this republic; and when it is considered that the great mass of the people must look almost wholly to the public schools for the development of its intelligence and discretion, our present system of education appeals to even the superficial observer as ridiculous and absurd.

"A primary maxim of our legal system is that 'Ignorance of the law availeth no man.' How many graduates of our grammar schools or even our boasted high schools have the faintest comprehension of the law and its administration? It is the casting of the ballot that makes the American citizen 'an uncrowned king.' How many graduates of our schools can properly mark their votes without help from a ward politician?

"The average graduate of a grammar school can talk with intelligence concerning the importation of tea from China and coffee from Brazil, but he does not known whether the water he drinks comes from a cistern on the roof of city hall or not. He can figure problems in 'partial payments' that would confound a banker, but to save his life he could not tell how many bricks it would take to pave ten square feet of sidewalk. He can name the first four kings of England, but probably does not know how many members there are in the common council. He can discuss with ease 'taxation without representation,' or the cause of the American Revolution, but he could not tell how his father's taxes are assessed and collected.

"Our schools are and always have been run too much for the benefit of the few who expect to go to colleges and universities and too little for the many who must go out while yet children and take up the real burdens of life, and upon whose shoulders, since they are in the great majority, will descend the duty and responsibility of caring for the community, the state and the nation."

EUGENE BERTRAM WILLARD.

EVERETT, MASS.

A FEW REASONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

A few of the reasons for the present school conditions in this state: Discontinuance of use of ferules; lack of cooperation of parents; secret societies with their fostering of caste; depreciation of value of money among children athletics; false ideas as to future; lack of desire to study, read and digest; these and others have created an incubation to shun the real work of life. It is a lack of these influences in the country schools that makes possible the fact that about all the real big men of this country were born, bred and received the foundation for their education in the country schools.

OLD FOGEY.

JANUARY SOCIAL.

The January Group of the First Congregational Church have decided to hold a simple social in the church vestry upon Thursday evening, Jan. 21, when light refreshments will be served. Following is the committee:

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Crawford, Mrs. Margaret, 13 Myrtle st.
Davis, Mrs. Charles H. 7 Winchester pk.
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Doane, Mrs. Isaac I. 55 Fletcher st.
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What Happened in Winchester 30 Years Ago, or Thereabouts.

Taken From Old Files

Joseph Shattuck fell from the roof of H. F. Miller's barn, a distance of 30 feet. He escaped without serious injury.

Edison has nearly completed his apparatus for lighting a town by electricity, and a company is now being formed to carry out his project. The light, it is claimed, will almost equal that of the moon, and cost less than one-third the price of gas. The present gas fittings have been utilized. Patents have already been applied for here, and in the principal countries of Europe. Edison says it will be a complete revolution in the art of lighting cities and towns.

Greenback meeting held in Lyceum Hall, J. M. Raymond Esq., of Salem, addressed an audience of about sixty.

Mr. Arthur B. Thyng serenaded by a large number of his friends at his residence.

Piano recital by Mr. E. B. Perry, Mrs. Susie G. Bailey, soprano and Miss Lillian Shattuck, violinist, was a great success.

Mr. J. W. Huse, a prominent citizen died of rheumatism of the heart. The J. W. Huse Hook & Ladder Co. escorted the remains to Woodland Cemetery.

William Parkman Lodge of Masons pass resolutions on the death of C. H. Moseley, a past master.

The Adelphian Club gave an entertainment in Lyceum Hall, the proceeds of which were devoted to the furnishing of Thanksgiving dinners to some of Winchester's deserving poor. The excellence of the programme, together with the charitable purpose of the affair drew together a large and appreciative audience. The performers were Mrs. Susie C. Bailey, and Mrs. H. L. Whitney, soprani, Miss Ella C. Stone, pianist, the Myopia quartette, consisting of Mr. H. L. Whitney, Mr. Gordon Prince, and Messrs. F. and A. Dabney; Mr. Charles A. Prince, elocutionist, Mr. N. F. Marble, humorist, Mr. Gardner S. Lamson, basso, Mr. Preston Pond, baritone, Mr. C. L. Harrington, accompanist. The following programme was presented:—Piano Solo, (a) Etude in F minor, (b) Menuetto in B minor, Miss Stone; Reading, "A Yankee in Love," Mr. Marble; "Song Noel," Mr. Gordon Prince; "Just as of Old," Mrs. Bailey; "Hie thee, Shallop," Mrs. Whitney and Myopia Quartette; "Palm Branches," Mr. Lamson; Reading, "The Lawyers and the Cat," Mr. Marble; "Te sol Quest Anima," Mrs. Whitney, Messrs. Gordon Prince and Alfred Dabney; "Infelice! a tu Credevi," Mr. Alfred Dabney; "Guarda che Bianca Luna," Mrs. Bailey and Mr. Pond; Piano Solo, Impromptu in E flat, Opus 30, Miss Stone; "Storm Wind," Mr. Alfred Dabney; Reading, "Shamus O'Brien," Charles Albert Prince; "O World, thou art Wondrous Fair," Mrs. Whitney and Myopia Quartette.

FANNIE WARD

In "The New Lady Bantock."

Boston, January 11, 1909.

Editor of the Star:

At last England has done the handsome thing by us in sending to Boston Fannie Ward with her beauty, her Americanism and her talent in full bloom.

I saw Miss Ward at the Aldwich Theatre in "Fanny and the Servant Problem," which I see they now call "The New Lady Bantock." It comes as a brand new comedy idea from the inventive brain of Jerome K. Jerome, who has made millions laugh with his "Three Men in a Boat" and other books.

Miss Ward made the greatest kind of a hit. She is a dear, and entirely unspoiled by her foreign absorption, and comes back as blithely native, as American as prairie golden-rod, and prettier than any rose. She is a serious little comedienne with arch humor and great comedy gifts. She will appear at the Park Theatre beginning Monday, Jan. 18th, and if you really want to enjoy yourself you will not miss seeing her. Matinees Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Cordially yours,
Mary Dascombe.

Old Farmer's Almanacs—Wilson the Stationer.

CAT LOST ITS TAIL.

A catastrophe on the railroad which happened this week near the Wedgemere station shows how close a train can come to a living body without depriving it of life.

An angora cat was traveling along the track and a passing train cut the bushy tail from the body. The antics of the cat were extremely wild for the time, it jumped ten or twelve feet into the air in the excitement. The cries made by the animal could be heard over the noise made by the train. True to its instinct, the angora then ran to the Cummings home near the track where treatment was administered.—[Woburn Times.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

The special car for the service in Malden will leave the turn-out on Church street near Wedgemere avenue at 2.45 p. m., and will stop to take passengers along the way.

The Epiphany Circle will meet Monday afternoon at 3, at the Choir Room.

The Woman's Guild will meet Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour with Mrs. A. S. Higgins, Church street.

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ALL NIGHT LIGHTING.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the question of continuing the all-night schedule for our electric lights, which will come up for consideration at the special town meeting next week. So far as we are able to ascertain, the running of the lights all night has proved generally satisfactory, and much regret would be felt if they were discontinued and the old schedule resumed. The question of continuation seems to depend largely upon the added cost of lights, and whether the advantages gained by using them the extra number of hours offsets this additional expense is an open question. Keeping the streets lighted all night is in the line of progress and is being done in many of the towns about us. If the expense of all-night lighting is too great, why not adopt a schedule that would be a good substitute at a considerable saving? The hours when lights are most necessary, both for convenience and safety, are from dark to about one or two o'clock in the morning, and again from about four o'clock to daylight. As was clearly brought out at the town meeting which voted to try the all-night schedule, there is an urgent demand for lights in the hours just before daybreak by many whose labors call them out at that time and who are entitled to consideration in this matter. A schedule covering about the hours named would save, we understand, something like one thousand dollars over the all-night schedule. We have tried the all-night schedule at a time of year when the number of hours in which lights are necessary is the greatest and whatever report may be made on the subject will show the additional expense at its maximum for the length of time covered.—[Wellesley Townsman.

The Selectmen of Winchester favor all-night lighting and will probably recommend such a schedule at the March meeting.

PERSONAL LIBERTY.

The Malden Evening Mail has the following to say anent the "personal liberty" question:

"What strange notions people have about their 'personal liberty.'" Gompers thinks it is interfering with his personal liberty for the courts to restrain him from trying to ruin those who will not submit to his dictation as to how they will carry on their business, the Socialists think it interferring with their personal liberty when the authorities prevent them holding meetings in the public streets and blocking the highways, and now a lot of gamblers and whiskey sellers in Texas are threatening to kill Gov. Campbell because he is interferring with their 'personal liberty' by enforcing the law against gambling and rum selling on Sunday. If every man was permitted to be his own judge as to his right to personal liberty this would not be a civilized country. A man has a right to think as he pleases but when it comes to acts, a man's personal liberty is secondary to the public good."

WHY NOT?

The High school fraternities of Denver have engaged counsel to fight the school board in its effort to prohibit these organizations that, in so many instances, pervert the life of our intermediary schools. This is not surprising. It is entirely logical and in consonance with much other license shown by "Young America." Some day children in their teens will have their legal counsel to prevent parental discipline in the few homes where it still lingers. —[Boston Herald.

Do the right thing if you have Nasal Catarrh. Get Ely's Cream Balm at once. Don't touch the catarrh powders and snuffs, for they contain cocaine. Ely's Cream Balm releases the secretions that inflame the nasal passages and the throat, whereas medicines made with mercury merely dry up the secretions and leave you no better than you were. In a word, Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy, not a delusion. All druggists, 50 cents, or mailed by Ely Brothers 56 Warren street, New York.

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FOR MUTUAL AID.

A score of towns and cities within the eight-mile radius of Boston are interested in the new metropolitan-fire-district project, which will be one of the greatest steps ever taken toward better fire protection.

The great Chelsea fire of April 12 made history in fire fighting in the east and it was this awful disaster that suggested the idea to Chief Mullen of Boston and which led him to propose it at the last Massachusetts State Firemen's convention.

Briefly it is an independent fire alarm telegraph system of mutual aid. The Chelsea fire serves the best illustration of the need of something of this sort. Help was called on that memorable day from every municipality of any size within 25 miles and in some cases at greater distance and more or less delay was occasioned in summoning it.

The new plan calls for a system with headquarters probably in Boston. For example, if there is a dangerous fire in Winchester which grows too big for the local department to cope with and Chief Symmes knows that he will need more engines and hose, he notifies headquarters, and from there by a special number and code of signals the central fire stations at Woburn, Medford and Arlington are notified simultaneously and in a few minutes aid is on the way; whereas under existing conditions it would take some time to accomplish the same result. Were the fire larger and in a larger city more assistance could be summoned in the same manner.

Nineteen or twenty towns and cities in Greater Boston will be included.

The Gamewell Fire Telegraph Co. has already worked out a plan which is under consideration and seems to meet the requirements.

In the event of a big fire in any part of this area it will be possible to set in motion, either to the scene or to cover other districts whose companies have moved 95 engine companies, including horseless engines and fireboats; 125 hose carriages, 40 ladder companies, 28 chemicals, 35 combination wagons and four water towers.

Each city or town in the district will have to have direct wires to headquarters and the cost for these and for the other equipment would be about $600 or $800.

Congressmen still seem to be quite pronounced in their private conversation about the President. No doubt but that the President can stand all that is said about him. He knows that the people are with him. The average of humanity is the same no matter whether in Congress or civil life.

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United Fire Service.

Arrangements are being made to secure better fire protection for the cities and towns in the so-called greater Boston district, and which will include the fire departments of 19 cities and towns. A central headquarters in Boston is proposed to which application can be made in case of a conflagration greater than a local department can cope with. From this central station alarms are to be sent out to the nearest places to the fire who will quickly respond. This will be of decided advantage and a saving in fire apparatus. Woburn and Winchester have for some time been working on a co-operative basis with good results.

The Next School Committee.

A great deal of interest is being aroused concerning the caucus nominations for the next school committee. Mr. Wingate and Mr. May will be candidates and will undoubtedly be elected at the March meeting. Most of the local discussion seems to centre about the man to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Dr. Blaisdell. The STAR is only too glad to lend a hand in the matter. The most judicious and sensible thing the caucus could do would be, in our opinion, to present the name of Professor Currier and give him a unanimous nomination. Such a procedure would be a substantial and practical vindication of the policy inaugurated by this gentleman some nine years ago —a policy which has done so much to put our schools on a sound business and educational basis. If we are correctly informed, Professor Currier is enjoying much better health than he did a year ago and would be willing to accept such a nomination of the caucus for the three-year term. We commend this somewhat premature nomination to the thoughtful consideration of all the readers of the STAR who have a lively and abiding interest in the future welfare of our schools.

AFTERNOON TEA.

Mrs. Edwin Ginn and her sister, Miss Emma Grebe gave a largely attended afternoon tea at Mrs. Ginn's residence on Bacon street Wednesday, from four to six. The affair was attended by about 300 guests, Boston, and other surrounding towns being represented, in addition to a large list of Winchester people.

The residence was decorated for the afternoon with palms and roses. The color scheme of the various rooms blended harmoniously into the general tone of red and green, the music room in which pink roses was used, being the only departure from the predominating colors, and here Mrs. Ginn and Miss Grebe received their guests.

In an alcove in the hall Van Vliet's orchestra of stringed instruments and a flute were screened by palms, and its music added much to the pleasure of the guests.

The tea, chocolate and frappa tables were presided over by Mrs. Lewis Parkhurst, Mrs. George N. P. Mead, Mrs. George W. May of Boston and Mrs. LeRoy Phillips of Brookline. These ladies were assisted by Mrs. William B. French, Dr. Adeline B. Church and Mrs. Hermann D. Murphy. A number of young ladies assisted in the serving including Miss Daphne Dunbar, Miss Barbara Fernald, Miss Margaret French and Miss Marjorie Cutting.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Miss Annie S. Peck, the mountain climber, will give an illustrated lecture in the Town Hall, Monday evening, Jan. 25, under the auspices of The Fortnightly. Her subject will be "Mountain Climbing in Peru," or "The Conquest of Huascaran." Miss Peck is the first person who ever climbed to the summit of this mountain and the story of her experiences is a thrilling one. One hundred and fifty lantern slides are used during the lecture. The program committee consider themselves very fortunate in securing her for this evening, as she is in great demand. The fact that such organizations as the American Geographical Society employ her, places her beyond the need of other recommendation.

Members of the club must show their membership ticket at the door. Admission tickets for all, except club members, 50 cents each.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

The program for Guest Day, at The Fortnightly, January eleventh, was unusually delightful and was enjoyed by about four hundred members and invited guests, the latter easily distinguishable in the crowd by the white flowers which they carried, and which were presented by the Club.

The President welcomed the guests in her usual graceful manner, and then the meeting passed into the hands of the Music Committee whose chairman, Mrs. Edlefson, had yielded the day to the direction of Miss Cedelia M. Cox and her assisting artists, Miss Martha Hawes, Contralto; Mr. John Little, Violoncellist; and Mrs. John Little and Miss Pearl G. Libby, Accompanists.

The program was as follows:

Als die alte Mutter — Dvorák
Hark, Hark the Lark! — Schubert
Miss Hawes
Aria: Mon coeur ouvre à ta voix — Saint Saëns
Miss Hawes
a Romance — Davidoff
b Scherzo — Von Goens
John Little
Tears, Idle Tears — Whelpey
From Tennyson's "Princess"
My Lady's Eyes — Harriet Wills
A Norse Lullaby — Harriet Wills
Miss Hawes
A Boat Song — Harriet Ware
O Lovely Night — Ronald
with 'cello obligato
Miss Hawes and John Little
Andante — J. Hollman
John Little
La Chanson des Baisers — Bemberg
Miss Hawes

Miss Hawes has a beautiful voice, and sings with taste and finish, and her accompanist, Miss Libby, deserves especial mention as an unusually sympathetic player.

The program was varied and unhackneyed, and it was a great pleasure to hear again the charming songs composed by our own member, Mrs. Harriet Wills.

Miss Hawes' rendering of these songs, and the exquisite "Tears, Idle Tears," brought a recall, when she sang the lovely "I left My Heart in a Rose."

Mr. Little, finely accompanied by Mrs. Little, played the 'cello skilfully and with feeling, and won a deserved encore after the Andante by Hollman, when he played the always popular Berceuse from "Jocelyn" by Godard.

The audience was responsive, and the guests of the afternoon expressed their pleasure in enthusiastic terms.

An informal reception followed the program, and then the guests were left to the tender mercies of the social committee, always well-equipped to meet the material demands upon them.

FESTIVAL OF MONTHS.

The coming "Festival of Months," which is to be given at Morgan Memorial Boston, is one in which many residents of Winchester are vitally interested and calls to mind this great charity which appeals to us all. It is undenominational in its work, it caters to all regardless of creed, nationality or color, and any who apply, if found worthy, will receive assistance. Its industrial departments include rug making, shoe making, laundry, cooking, printing, sewing and basket work. There is also supported a free employment bureau, a real estate office, a kindergarten and a day nursery where the poor mother may leave her little ones while she goes to do the work provided for her by the managment of the Memorial. This work is also co-operative inasmuch as a woman who needs shoes goes there and in payment for them she will scrub a floor. The man who mends the shoes will get what he needs for his work, maybe a coat. The woman who mends that coat gets something she wants, and so on indefinitely the help and work goes on, teaching them not dependency, but independence and industry. The work is unique inasmuch as here, Methodist and Unitarian work together, in perfect harmony for the welfare of mankind, letting no difference of ecclesiastical opinions enter into their labor. Mrs. Edward Dunning of Winchester is President of the Woman's Auxiliary and Mrs. George H. Root is Corresponding Secretary.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The annual meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held Friday last. The first part of the meeting was devoted to the memory of Mrs. Frank E. Rowe, whose recent death saddened so many of the members who had worked with her in the Union and elsewhere. The annual report was read by Mrs. G. H. Hamilton and told of the work accomplished during the year. The making of comfort bags for sailors, the distribution of literature, the gift of about fifteen dollars to the Willard settlement, the work of the flower mission during the summer, the donation of a box of delicacies at Thanksgiving, the entertainment of the presidents of the unions of Middlesex county, at the spring meeting were the noteworthy items in the department work. The visit of Dr. Abbott at the anniversary meeting in June was another item of interest. The report of the treasurer spoke of $25.00 given to the State and National work, besides several dollars to the County treasury. Two members have passed away during the year.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. G. H. Hamilton; vice presidents — Congregational church—Mrs. A. A. Rowe and Mrs. Marion C. Newton, Methodist church—Mrs. C. C. Dunning, Baptist church—Mrs. Mary Winn, Bethany Congregational church—Mrs. E. S. Everett; secretary, Mrs. F. B. Tracy; treasurer, Miss Eugenia E. Elliott.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

The big Benefit Concert given in the Town Hall last evening for the sufferers of the great Italian earthquake called out an audience which completely filled the hall. The attractive list of artists, all representing the very best in their profession, and all of whom freely gave of their services for this occasion was such as to bring many lovers of music from the surrounding towns.

The program was said to have been one of the best and most enjoyable from all points of view of any similar entertainment given here this season.

Following is the list of artists and the program:

ARTISTS.

May Belle Hagenow — Pianist
Jenny Trecartin — Soprano
Virginio Capelloni — Baritone
Joshua Phippen — Pianist
and The Tolmanina Trio:
Gertrude Marshall — Violinist
Myra Winslow — Pianist
A. Laura Tolman — Violoncellist

PROGRAM.

1\. a Barcarolle, G minor / b Staccato Etude — Rubinstein
Mr. Phippen
2\. Se Saran Rose — Arditi
Miss Trecartin
Violin Obligato—Miss Marshall
3\. Airs russes, oppus 6 — Wieniawski
Miss Marshall
4\. Sognai — Tessarin
Signor Capelloni
5\. Cantique d'Amour — Liszt
Miss Hagenow
6\. a Melodie — Rubinstein
b Vito (Spanish Dance) — Popper
Miss Tolman
7\. a Love in May — Horatio Parker
b The Chrysanthemum — Mary Turner Salter
c Norwegian Love-Song — Clough-Leighter
Miss Trecartin
8\. Mattinatta — Leoncavallo
Signor Capelloni
9\. a Andante sostenuto from trio — Bargiel
b Moderato, con fuoco e appassionato, Op. 52 — Rubinstein
The Tolmanina Trio

NEIGHBORLY ADVICE.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Apropos of recent letters the following clipping from an essay by Rev. Samuel McCord Crothers in the November Atlantic may have some slight pertinence:

"I am not one of those who insist that everybody should mind his own business; that is too harsh a doctrine. One of the rights and privileges of a good neighbor is to give neighborly advice. But there is a corresponding right on the part of the advisee, and that is to take no more of the advice than he thinks is good for him. There is one thing that a man knows about his own business better than any outsider, and that is how hard it is for him to do it. The adviser is always telling him how to do it in the finest possible way, while he, poor fellow, knows that the paramount issue is whether he can do it at all. It requires some grace on the part of a person who is doing the best he can under extremely difficult circumstances to accept cheerfully the remarks of the intelligent critic."

Yours,
ONE WHO SYMPATHIZES.
Winchester, Mass., Jan. 11, 1909.

FOR SELECTMAN.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I am informed that the many friends of James V. Haley are talking him up as a candidate for the Board of Selectmen and I hope he will allow the use of his name as I know he is interested in all town affairs. A good business man of sound judgment, and would make a good man for the Board of Selectman. CITIZEN.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

At the Parish meeting January 13, the following officers were elected: Warden, Theodore C. Hurd; Treasurer, Wm. C. Newell; Clerk, Charles D. Jenkins; Vestry-men, N. T. Apollonio, Addison R. Pike, Ralph Putnam; Delegates to Convention, F. B. Page, R. H. Sherman, H. W. Suter; Delegates to Arch-Deaconry, Walter Cummings, George Dunham, Wm. C. Newell.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

January 11th, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Evening spent in discussing proposed appropriations for highway department with the subcommittee of the committee on appropriations.

Warrants drawn for $2298.77 and $585.51.

Adjourned at 11.15 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Cl.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Many educators believe that the grammar school is the most important of all, so let us not lose sight of it in the present discussion of the High school as we did when the kindergarten craze was on. The late chairman of the school committee is on the subcommittee on schools of the Ap. Com. so we may expect a thorough report both to and in the town meeting.

What is THE matter with the Winchester Schools? The parents, principally. What do THEY KNOW about them?

Now Hyde Park is very much stirred up over its electric lighting rates and service and want the Edison company to come in and serve it.

The town's committee has made an extended report on both the electric and the gas company to a town meeting and is to report further. The consumers of electric light have now petitioned the commission and a hearing has been set for the 21st inst. which should be interesting. Under all of the circumstances the best thing for all might be for the local company to sell out, as our gas company should.

The advantage of holding the Sunday Forum meetings in the Town Hall would be larger attendance and dissemination of knowledge. It is the voter who must be educated and to get a chance to educate you must first interest him and we all know how difficult it is to stir our voters up to take hold of movements. Church meetings will help but public meetings in public places are absolutely necessary to success. I known all about this movement and went into Boston for the winter to be in closer touch with it. It is called Socialism but is in fact co-operation and not true socialism but far better.

If there was a chance to appeal to the voters of the country as between Congress and the President, the former would be in the "also ran" class. Theodore Roosevelt is going out of office just about as popular with the politicians as Grover Cleveland was, and for the same reasons.

What HAS become of the W. I. A.? Will not the president answer? Why should it hide its light so? Let us know what has been done so that we may give due credit. The Board of Trade also let us hear from it. Publicity is what is wanted.

THE SCHOOLS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

My letter to the STAR two weeks ago was neither a criticism nor a discussion. It was simply an exhibit of the frame of mind of the community, or of a large portion of it. That the exhibit was true has been abundantly proved in the last ten days; that it was helpful will become increasingly manifest.

One thing is certain, and that is that not mere assertion but careful analysis is what is called for. Let us know, for example the total High school population of recent years, and the number of those of High school age attending school elsewhere, together with the reasons for their withdrawal from the Winchester High school. Let us know the facts of the last few years as to college examinations and college records. Mr. Wingate has already given important figures along these lines.

In the matter of teachers, it is known to me that there are several cases where teachers have left Winchester because dissatisfied. It may seem strange, in view of this, that Mr. Currier should "emphatically deny" that this is true. But it is to be remembered that Mr. Currier was, from his position, the last person to know the facts.

One thing seems clear. It is fortunate that the town may, at this juncture, have the benefit of a new committee, every member of which has opportunity to deal with the problems *de novo*, and without fear or favor.

JOHN W. SUTER.

PARENTS DAYS IN THE SCHOOLS.

Parents days will be observed in the public schools according to the schedule below:

Mystic	Friday	p. m.	Jan.	15
Wadleigh	"	a. m.	"	15
Highland	"	p. m.	"	21
Prince	"	a. m.	"	23

As a part of the regular school work teachers have had their pupils write invitations to parents to be present.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends and companions of my son, Joseph M. Mitton, for their sympathy and kindness during his fatal sickness and for the many floral tokens sent in his remembrance.

MRS. MARY MITTON.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Charles W. Denley desires to herewith express her sincere thanks to the many friends for their expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness during her recent bereavement.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

The week of January 18th at Keith's Theatre willl see at the head of an exceptionally strong bill the latest of the Lasky productions, a musical spectacle called "Birdland." All the characters in the piece take the form of feathered songsters of one kind or another, and there is a pretty story running through it. It is one of the most pretentious acts of the kind and certainly one of the most tuneful.

Another feature new to Boston will be a sketch that has been making a tremendous hit in New York. It is called "Awake at the Switch" and was written by Sewell Collins.

The same week will see the return of the famous Mr. Hymack with his wonderful changes of wearing apparel.

Still another feature of more than ordinary interest will be the Bryne Brothers of "Eight Bells" fame. Their original acrobatic comedy, "Eight Bells" has been condensed to the limits of a vaudeville act and in doing this only the best features have been retained. Others on the bill are Howard and North of "Happy Days" in a new sketch; the Nichols Sisters in their Southern specialties; Wilbur Mack & Co., the Reed Brothers; Frank Whitman and other strong acts.

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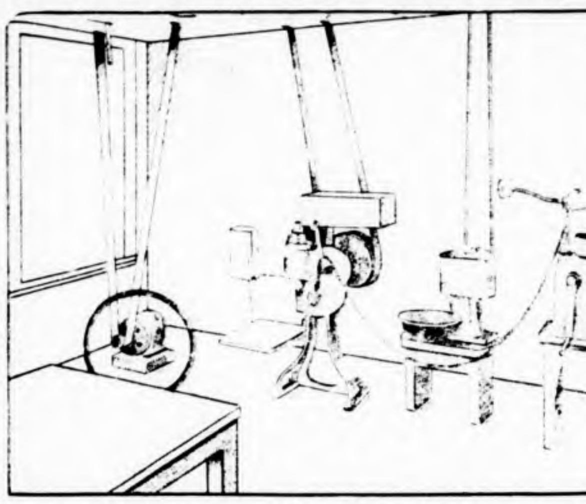

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Miss Jessie White, daughter of Rev. Dr. Charles White of N. Y., is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Harriet White of Forest street.

A chimney fire in the residence of Mr. Wm. S. Forbes on Oxford street was the cause of a telephone to the fire department Thursday afternoon.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

The special services each night the past week have been well attended, considering the very bad weather, which doubtless kept at home many who would gladly have attended. The spirit of the meetings has been helpful, in building and broadening the religious life of the church. It is hoped that next week a greater number may be reached and a marked advance made in the general spiritual activity of the members. Until this occurs, little can be done with reference to new converts. All of the speakers, thus far, have had burning messages which struck home to the hearts of the people. All are cordially invited to the meetings.

The speakers for next week will be: Tuesday, Jan. 19, the Pastor; Wednesday, Jan. 20, Rev. G. B. Dean; Thursday, Jan. 21, Rev. M. W. Bowers; Friday, Jan. 22, Rev. B. G. Seaboyer.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Life."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Second Sunday after the Epiphany.

8 a. m. Holy Communion.

10.45 a. m. Morning Prayer, and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

3.30 p. m. Children's Missionary service at St. Paul's, Malden.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service, with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "A Word about the Emmanuel Movement."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. Curtis W. Nash.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Esther Somes. Mr. Lawrance will speak on "Judaism."

Tuesday, 4.00 p. m. Bible Reading. Mr. Lawrance will continue reading from the Prophesy of Isaiah.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

Conversion Sunday.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon — "Paul's Conversion, on the Supernatural in the Christian Religion." Seats free. Welcome.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Subject, "The Beginnings of the Christian Church." Acts. 2 : 32-42. Classes for all. Welcome.

12 m. Noon Conference for business men. First conference in a series of three on "Women in Industry," conducted by Miss Carrie E. Small of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, Boston. All men invited.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting. Leader, Mr. Frederic S. Osgood.

7.00 p. m. Evening Worship. Sermon — "Present Day Conversions, or Christ's Challenge to the World." Stirring cogregational singing. Informal service.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Annual meeting of the Church, for the hearing of reports from officers and committees, and the appointment of officers for the ensuing year.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer Meeting. Topic : "Prayer for Heaven's Open Windows over our work in 1909. Every one is invited to participate.

Thursday at 8. Business Men's Social at the home of Frederic S. Osgood, 27 Rangeley. The guest and speaker for the evening will be the Hon. J. Howell Crosby, of Arlington, State Senator from this district, who will speak on, "My Expetiences in the Legislature." A very pleasant and profitable evening is anticipated.

Friday at 8. Red and Blue S. S. Social.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Beginnings of the Christian Church."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic, "How we Know the Father."

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon by the Pastor. All cordially invited.

SPECIAL MEETINGS.

Tuesday, 7.45 p. m. The Pastor will preach.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. George B. Dean of Lowell will preach.

Thursday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. W. W. Bowers of Lynn will preach.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Rev. B. G. Leaboyer of Medford will be the preacher.

All are most cordially invited to attend these services.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Theme—"Methods Producing Faith — First, Christian Nature." Anthem—"Praise the Lord, O my Soul." Royle: "There is a land beyond the setting sun," Simeton.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Beginnings of the Christian Church." Acts 2 : 22-47.

4.30 p. m. Eventide Service in the main auditorium with preaching by the pastor. Theme—"Footmen and Horses in the Ministry of God to us." Miss Ogilvie will sing. Printed programme of service, responses and hymns. Come and worship. All seats free. Everybody welcome. No collection at this service.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—Pilgrim's Progress Series. 1. "Leaving the City of Destruction." Acts 16: 25-34. Leader — Miss Ida M. Sands. All are welcome.

Monday, 4. p. m. The members of the February Group are requested to meet with the Chairman, Mrs. Emery, 10 Dix street.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Annual Church Meeting. Bring formal ballots. Reports of the year's work, election of officers, and transaction of all necessary business. Come promptly.

Wednesday, 3.45 p. m. Meeting of the Seek and Save Circle in the vestry. Lesson — "Chapter 2 and 3 of "Springs in the Desert." Remember to all come and bring money for lesson books.

7.45 p. m. Topic—"The Social Consciousness." 1 Cor. 13; Romans 13: 8-10. What we receive from Human Society. What we receive from it. Why we owe it. The Christian spirit in meeting the obligation.

Thursday, 8.00 p. m. The January Group will hold a Social in the vestry to which all are very cordially invited. Light refreshments will be served. Come.

OLD MAID'S CONVENTION.

An entertainment entitled "The Old Maid's Convention," was given Tuesday evening at the Second Congregational Church by the young ladies of the congregation and their friends. The characters were as follows:

Marribah Lovejoy, Pres.	Mildred Davis
Priscilla Hope, Sec. and Treas.	Florence E. Plummer
Anxiety Doherty,	Rhoda Chapin
Rhoda Larkin,	Eva MacPhie
Sarah Jane Springster,	Lina Mayo
Augusta Prim,	Gladys Dearborn
Faith Blossom,	Elsie Cowee
Esther Snyder,	Pearl McLane
Aseneth Baker	Persis Richardson
Sophia Potter,	Helen Davis
Mary Ann Barns (Glad she was an old maid)	Mrs. Henry Bower
Amy Little,	Leah McIntosh
Susannah Smith,	Alice Sands
Prof. Pinkerton,	Mr. Adna Smalley

Some of the most interesting features were a report of the matrimonial market at the present time, read by the chairman of the lookout committee, Miss Mayo, which was very encouraging to the Old Maids. Miss Dearborn read an original poem which was very good, and a song by Mrs. Bower entitled, "I'm glad I am an Old Maid," created a great disturbance among the rest of the sisters who were all devoted members and looking for men.

The part of the Professor was very creditably done. He claimed that with his Transform(H)er that he could change the ugliest Old Maid into a young and beautiful girl.

Miss Mayo was the first to try and on account of the Professor giving too much elixir, she was transformed into a colored girl, which error the Professor rectified, and Miss Anita Bagge appeared and played a piano selection. The next to go was Miss Plummer, who wished to sing like a nightingale. Miss Plummer reappeared for this part and sang, "Priscilla at her Spinning," and later appeared for Miss Richardson, who wished to warble sweet songs, and sang, "Looks and Eyes." Miss Chapin, Miss MacPhie and Miss McLane wished to charm people by speaking pieces which they did in a very pleasing manner. Miss Sands and Miss Dearborn wished to be little school girls and twins. They were represented by Constance Park and Helen Marshall. Miss McIntosh wanted to be a MAN, and Ronald Park appeared for her. Mrs. Bower, who was glad that she was an Old Maid, finally got interested and wished to be made over. The Professor thought she was too old, but said he would try. All that was left of her was a bundle of clothes.

Much credit is due to to all the characters.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY.

When Mr. Michael O'Flaherty returned to his home on Dunham street, last Friday evening from his duties at the Town Hall he was greatly surprised to find his home filled with a merry company of friends and neighbors who had called to assist him and his wife in enjoying the 25th anniversary of their marriage. The affair had been arranged as a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. O'Flaherty by their niece, Miss Mary Flaherty. An evening of games and music followed by refreshments was thoroughly enjoyed. The visitors left a bushel basket well filled with silver articles as a remembrance of the occasion upon their departure.

The installation of officers of Knights of Columbus will take place Sunday afternoon in Knights of Columbus hall at 3 o'clock. District Deputy Arnold of Lawrence and suite will install the officers.

The engagement has recently been announced of Mr. Arthur A. Dorsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Dorsey, to Miss Genevieve G. Driscoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Driscoll of Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Richardson are receiving congratulations on the birth of a second child, a daughter, born Monday.

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Diaries and line-a-day books—Wilson the Stationer.

DIED.

DOANE—Jan. 7. Isaac I. Doane, aged 59 years, son of Mary F. and the late Capt. Isaac S. Doane of Orleans. Funeral was held Sunday, Jan. 10, at 3 p. m. Interment at Orleans.

LENFEST—Jan. 10th. Mrs. Jane Lenfest, aged 84y, 3m, 2d. Funeral services, conducted by Rev. Perry Bush of Chelsea, were held from the home of her son, Mr. Granville B. Lenfest, No. 434 Main street, Jan. 12th. Interment at Mt. Auburn.

MITTON—Jan. 10th. Joseph Merritt Mitton, aged 21y, 20d. Funeral services were held Jan. 13 from his late home, No. 34 Vine street. Interment in Wildwood cemetery.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George M. Campbell to Frank L. Ferguson and Sumner H. Foster, trustees of the Winchester Associates, dated November 1, 1904, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 3137, page 479, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, the sixth day of February, 1909, at three o clock in the afternoon,

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land situated in Winchester, bounded and described as follows:

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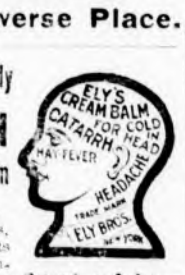

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1809 **The Lincoln** 1909 **Centenary**

The Nation's Tribute to "a Great White Soul," a "Humanized Interpretation of the Golden Rule"

By James A. Edgerton

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THE hour when a great white soul comes to earth should be held in perpetual memory. The soil his foot first presses is hallowed ground. Time and place are never so sacred as when they mark the advent of those sent of God to help men. They form the links that bind heaven and earth. They lend an added luster to every time and every place, just as one who wears the human form worthily confers nobility on all of the sons of men.

Abraham Lincoln made every one in human guise more precious. He reminds us of our better selves. He was a symbol of the homeliest and commonest, yet of the highest and rarest human things. We cannot think of him without becoming more loving, more charitable and more true. There is not an element in him that does not make one better to contemplate. The pure in heart can read all of his life without a blush, and the gentlest and most timid can view his every deed without a shudder. Lincoln had goodness without self righteousness, spirituality without cant, intellectuality without dogmatism and power without tyranny. He had most of the talents with none of their abuses. There are many great men we can admire and respect, but Lincoln we can love.

He was born a hundred years ago this year. It is fitting, therefore, that the land for which he lived and died should honor the event as it has honored but one other of its sons. We have not enough of the supreme souls that we can spare the example of one. It is not for their sake that we canonize them, but for the sake of all the rest. They do not need our praise, but we need their stimulus. By uplifting them we uplift ourselves. They act as spiritual magnets to draw us to their height. By contemplating them we unconsciously grow like them. No one can measure the moral force of one Lincoln centenary.

All men are in substantial agreement as to their verdict concerning him. The only difference is in the degree of their praise. There is no sectionalism in his appreciation. The south could not spare his gentle memory more than the north. Never was a victor less like a conqueror. It is as impossible to feel resentment toward him as toward a dead father.

We grow like what we love. It is this fact which lends such a beautiful significance to the universal regard for Lincoln, that makes so inspiring the widespread celebration of the centenary of his birth. A nation which builds itself around such an ideal will not only have a "new birth of freedom," but will have a new birth of peace, of manhood and of nobility that will place it in the forefront of the nations of all time.

It will be an inspiring spectacle when at the same hour on Feb. 12 assemblies in all parts of the nation turn their faces toward the tomb at Springfield. It may well be that this ceremony will become worldwide and that Americans in all parts of the earth will join the celebrators at Springfield in repeating certain of Mr. Lincoln's utterances with their faces toward his place of rest. Among the eminent Illinoisans who form the local committee of the Lincoln Centennial association are such distinguished men as former Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson, Chief Justice Fuller of the United States supreme court, Senators Cullom and Hopkins, Speaker Cannon, Governor Deneen, General Manager Melville E. Stone of the Associated Press and other old or new friends of the martyr president equally eminent.

Among those who will participate in the centenary exercises are the British and French ambassadors, the two recent candidates for the presidency, ex-Secretary Taft and Mr. Bryan, and others whose names are household words in more than one land. Now that the Springfield program has been adopted by the educational authorities of so many of the states this simple ceremony will become the most widely observed and impressive memorial service ever given to a single man on the American continent if not in the world. But this will by no means end the observation of the Lincoln centenary. Almost equally notable will be the celebration at the Lincoln birthplace farm, which will then be dedicated and thrown open to the public as a national park. At this Kentucky ceremony President Roosevelt has promised to be present, also Mark Twain, Governor Folk and others distinguished in politics, law and letters. There is a generous emulation without rivalry between the two committees that have in charge the respective celebrations at the birthplace and the tomb. Thus the two ends of Mr. Lincoln's pathway will be bright with glory, while the fame of his life will stretch like a rainbow between. But the chief celebration will be neither at Springfield nor at the Rock Spring farm. It will be in the hearts of the plain people, who loved him while on earth, who love him now and ever will love him as their true friend. They have not means or time to travel to distant shrines, nor eloquence to voice their appreciation, but by their own firesides and in their own hearts they will tell in simple words of their faith and trust in this plain and unassuming man who was one of themselves. They are the final arbiters of all men's fame, and he who is secure in their regard is established for the ages.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

February 12, 1809 **April 15, 1865**

One of the features of the centenary at Springfield will be the meeting of those who knew "Old Abe" and who can give history first hand. We have so much secondhand history in the world that this will be an improvement. If we could only have a convention of those who knew Julius Caesar or Charlemagne or Oliver Cromwell, how many errors would be corrected! An experience meeting of the friends of Shakespeare would likewise be worth going miles to attend. We never appreciate an immortal till he gets out of reach. While he is on earth we say, "Oh, yes, old So-and-so—everybody knows him!" But 200 years after he is dead the world discovers that it does not know him, but wishes it did. It is fortunate that we have taken this great interest in Lincoln while some of those who used to meet him behind the grocery stove and argue politics and swap stories with him at the postoffice are still on earth. Otherwise we should be in the same deplorable state of misinformation we are in concerning Washington, in whose case we have to depend on the Sparkses and Weemses for some historical fairy tales.

Lincoln has not entirely escaped from these romancers even as it is, but they started their fiction factories so soon that it has been possible to overtake and brand most of the output. For example, there were a lot of the oldest inhabitants in several southern states who felt it their bounden duty to reflect on his paternity. All of these stories have been traced to their origin, proved to be erroneous and branded. Then somebody came to the surface who said he had heard somebody say that had heard somebody else say that Mr. Lincoln was not born on the birthplace farm, but in an entirely different part of Kentucky. He made some sort of affidavit on the ground of this hearsay testimony. Now, it is fortunate all this happened while there were reliable truth loving people on earth who know just where Lincoln was born. Thus the thing could be demonstrated beyond cavil, nailed down and established for the ages. This saves posterity a lot of unnecessary speculation, investigation and trouble. Suppose these stories had been sprung after everybody that knew Lincoln was dead. All this inaccuracy might have trickled its way down through the centuries. A very large portion of ancient history belongs in the fiction department of our libraries.

We are fortunate in another respect. Many of those who have written lives of Mr. Lincoln associated with him daily. He was great enough to seem great to his secretaries and partners. The telegraph operators at the war department, the attendants about the White House, the common soldiers who saw their commander in chief, all had some sort of inner prompting that this was not just an ordinary president, but that here was the sort of man that would interest the twenty second century. So they made mental notes and printed them. The world has grown in 2,000 years so that now a prophet has honor in his own country and among those of his own household. They may not see all of his greatness, but if they even measure some angles of it these furnish a basis for future computations.

If Lincoln had lived back in the days of Pericles or Augustus I have often imagined the sort of rich story Plutarch would have made of him. At a little earlier period, back in that enchanting but uncertain dawn of history before the shadows had quite lifted, men would have created of him an Odin or one of those delightful old pagan demigods that strangled dragons with their naked hands. But we have not so much to crow over, for they almost did that with Washington in our own day.

Let us beware of putting Lincoln on a pedestal. It is the sweet and everyday humanity of the man that is his chief charm. It is easy to marvel at a higher order of beings, but hard to love them. Lincoln is close enough to us to love, and we must keep him so. There are enough little demi-gods, but we need this man for our common humanity. He is too big, too warm and too precious to set him out of reach. They have robbed us of most of our heroes by making them unhuman and impossible, but they shall not do it with Lincoln. He belongs to our man and woman world, and we are going to keep him for our own. The far shining greatness of his soul makes his gnarled hands and wrinkled face all the more precious to us. Let us have all the centenaries of him that the passage of the years will permit, let us have libraries full of books about him, but never let him be removed from the plain people that he loved and that loved him. Almost anybody can be an aristocrat, but it takes one of God's own great, tender men to be a perfect democrat. It is this quality that makes Lincoln so alive in the hearts of the millions, and the man that robs him of even a part of it will in that far do him to death. Make the birthplace farm as splendid a park as you like, but keep the little old one room cabin on it as a reminder. Retain enough of the hardships to show what they were. We men who have to carve our way in the world, who have to cling to principles and choose right from wrong, who have to pass by temptation and who have to keep our hearts sweet through trials need all of the example of Lincoln to help us on. The man who robs us of even the humblest part of that inspiring story is a fiend neither to Lincoln nor to us. We want to feel that he was such a man as we are, or at least such a man as we may become. He was our big brother, and we see the way he did things and then know better how we may do them. He was great not because remote, but because so close. He was so common he became the most uncommon man in our time. He was so human he grew almost divine. He was so meek he seems a king of men. He was so poor he has all the riches of our love.

It is such a man whose centenary we celebrate. There is scarcely one in all the broad land who will not participate in word or deed or thought. There are no classes in the appreciation of Lincoln. Labor loves him because he was a friend of labor and himself toiled with his hands. The black man loves him for freedom. The north loves him as a leader, the south as a native son and a true friend. Culture appreciates him for his great intellect, his literary quality and his high soul. The common people cherish him as their own child. The nation reverences him as its preserver. The whole race of man prizes him for his large heart and his loving kindness. He was a humanized interpretation of the Golden Rule, an incarnation of the sermon on the mount.

OLD SCHOOL DOCTORS

Ignorance of Physicians of the Eighteenth Century.

TORTURE FOR THE PATIENTS.

Every Ailment Beyond Diagnosis Was Classed as a Fever, and Pills, Plasters, Burning and Bleeding Were the Regulation Remedies.

The proverb "The remedy is worse than the disease" must have been coined in the eighteenth century, when physicians treated their patients with a violence that bordered on assault and battery. It was held that sickness was some kind of a demon that must be overcome by pills, plasters, bleeding and burning, and if the patient incidentally got the full effects of the torture and died, so much the worse for him. Air and water were considered the most dangerous things for a sick person to have, and his misguided demand for them was interpreted as a sign that he should have still less. The windows were shut and the curtains of the four poster tightly drawn around the recumbent unfortunate gasping for breath. If he turned with fever the blankets were piled on him. A desire for water meant that he could have none, while a lack of appetite proved that he ought to be stuffed with food. A bath was positively unthinkable.

The deadly results of breathing "night air" were accentuated by medical writers, says S. G. Tallentyre in the Cornhill Magazine. All air was bad, but the night quality often proved fatal to "young ladies of beauty, fortune and great merit" and to "young gentlemen of parts and breeding." One bold medico recommended that a bedchamber should be ventilated—in the daytime. Another dared to suggest that consumptives might benefit from sleeping in a pure atmosphere. The rule for ablutions was "hands often, feet seldom, head never," but a physician far in advance of his age surmised that invalids might bathe their feet in warm water once a week and under extraordinary circumstances take a warm bath once a month.

Overeating and drinking caused many of the diseases of the upper classes. Montesquieu said that dinner killed one half of the Parisians and supper the other half. Everywhere it was the custom to pile the table with roast beef, mutton, capons, boars' heads, pasties, creams, stuffings and mincemeats. A fearful repast of twelve indigestible courses was brought on all together, so that the diners knew what was expected of them. A large breakfast of small beer and meats preceded the gigantic midday meal, when people enjoyed a Gargantuan gorge for three hours and spent two more in Falstaffian potations. After this the gentlemen joined the women for a dish of tea in the drawing room, and it was not long before the whole party of human anacondas returned to the dining room for a supper on the cold remnants of the dinner. Amid this orgy of gluttony Walpole and Voltaire were distinguished for an abstinence that prolonged their lives.

Heavy drinking was universal and rarely reprimanded by medical men, as by Dr. Tronchin. One Dr. Cheyne advised women not to take a whole bottle a day. Another authority wrote a popular treatise in which the best means of attaining longevity was stated to be a bottle of wine at dinner and three glasses after. Those who followed such advice were in danger of being dubbed temperance cranks. A story is told of the celebrated and convivial Dr. Garth, who was tipping bumpers at the Kit-Kat club when reminded that his patients needed attention. "'Tis no matter," said Garth, already half seas over, "if I see them or not. Nine have such bad constitutions that all the doctors in the world can't save them, and the other six have such good that all the doctors in the world can't kill them."

A physician named Brown became the pet of fashionable women by always prescribing pleasant remedies, "a glass of wine in the forenoon from time to time," "several glasses of port or punch after dinner till some enlivening effect is perceived from them." Together with inordinate quantities of liquor and food, Dr. Brown recommended to his male patients the company of "delightful young women." One of the natural consequences of such an agreeable regimen was the gout, for which eighteenth century high livers took seas of liquid medicines, mountains of pills and bins of powders.

Any disease beyond diagnosis was put down as "a fever." Whether typhus or typhoid, scarlet or gastric, noncontagious or violently infectious, anything which caused a rise in temperature was sufficiently described by the term fever. Smallpox, scurvy, spotted and jail fever were maladies distinctive of the age. Disinfection and first aid to natures were never dreamed of, while the patient was dosed with horrible drafts and nauseating compounds and bled on every possible occasion. Louis XIV. was bled nine times for scarlet fever. Bleeding killed the Duchess of Tyrconnel and her husband. When a mob attacked the Duke of Bedford's house in 1765 the doctors [illegible] the duchess by bleeding the duchess next morning. A young man who fell against a marble table and cut his head open was treated by having a few pints of extra blood drawn from his veins by an expert surgeon. Blistering was esteemed next to bleeding. A fashionable remedy for consumption was a mash of raw snails, shells and all, taken from a spoon.

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Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

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Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

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PROBATE COURT.

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WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Preston Pond and Clarence H. Pond who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, two of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. F. ROGERS, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Bradstreet late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alprusia A. Bradstreet, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

jan11 8,15,22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Frank H. Bowles, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur W. Newell who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

j8 8,16,22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Samuel B White, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ALFRED S. HALL, Executor.
Winchester, Mass.
January 12, 1909.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John W. Crooker to the Winchester Savings Bank dated September 3, 1904, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, lib. 3122, fol. 157, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, will be sold at public auction upon the premises in Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts on

MONDAY, the first day of February, A.D. 1909, at three o'clock in the afternoon,

all and singular, the premises remaining subject to said mortgage, a portion of the premises originally covered thereby having been released by partial release dated April 23, 1906, recorded with said Deeds, lib. 3226, fol. 323, the premises remaining being the first parcel described therein as follows:

A parcel of land in said Winchester which was the homestead of the late Thaddeus Parker and is bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Cambridge street about seventeen (17) rods; Northerly by Pond street about fourteen (14) rods; Easterly by land now or formerly of Dana Fay about seventeen (17) rods; and Southerly by land now or late of Dana Fay about fourteen (14) rods.

The sale will be made subject to any outstanding taxes, tax titles, or municipal liens which may exist upon the premises.

A deposit of two hundred (200) dollars will be required of the purchaser, balance payable in ten days upon passing papers at the office of LITTLEFIELD & TILDEN, 20 Washington street, Boston.

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Jan. 6, 1909. Mortgagee.
j8 8,15,22

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25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
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35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
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45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
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52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
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54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
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61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
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North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

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New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.18 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The funeral of Charles W. Cooley took place Sunday afternoon at his late residence, 15 Mt. Vernon street. Rev. D. Augustine Newton, pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated. Interment was in the Cambridge Cemetery.

A reception of new members into the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Church took place Tuesday evening. Rev. Dennis F. Lee of Reading, formerly of this parish, preached the sermon.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Calumet Club will be held Saturday evening, January 16th.

Mrs. D. N. Skillings was confined to her home by illness last week.

Mrs. Harry A. Wheeler returned last Saturday from New York, where she spent the previous two weeks.

The Poster Contest among High School scholars on "The Isle of Bamboo" will be very interesting. Do not forget that all Posters must be submitted by Jan. 23rd.

The annual meeting of the Winchester Improvement Association will be held in small Town Hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 21 at 8 o'clock. There will be the election of officers for the ensuing year and annual report of the President.

Charles P. Barrett and Charles A. Lane are spending a few days at "The Ark," East Jaffrey, N. H.

Mr. Erastus B. Badger is suffering from a fractured bone in his foot, caused by an iron pulley falling upon it last week.

Hon. Samuel J. Elder was a guest at the dinner of the Boston Jewelers' Club, on Tuesday night.

At the High school on the morning of Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, Mr. Charles A. Lane will give a talk to the scholars and their parents upon "Down in a Coal Mine," and personal observations in mining and preparing coal. Mr. Lane is of the firm of Parker & Lane Co., and has made several trips to the coal region and through the mines.

This afternoon at 2.30 the ladies of the Calumet Club will enjoy bridge whist. The committee in charge are Mrs. Wallace F. Flanders, Mrs. Harry J. Olmsted, Mrs. J. Churchill Hindes, Mrs. George W. Fitch and Mrs. Charles W. Kelley.

Try Covel's ice cream for your Sunday dinner.

Regarding the impressions made in Italy, a letter received on Saturday from Dr. G. N. P. Mead, who was at Capri, near Naples, shows how little the people in Italy away from the immediate scene of the calamity knew of the havoc it wrought at first. "We had an earthquake here last night," he wrote. "It waked me up. It did no damage save to crack the ceiling of the room of another guest." The people of Boston really knew the extent of the ruin before two-thirds of Italy.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The newly elected officers of the Winchester Lodge, A. O. U. W., will be publicly installed in Masonic Hall this evening.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Arthur P. Briggs, president; Mrs. T. R. Peters, vice president; Mrs. Samuel W. Smith, secretary; Mrs. George A. Weld, treasurer; Mrs. Wallace P. Palmer, missionary literature; and Mrs. George Bigley, collector. The average attendance for the year was 21.

A man purporting to represent a firm known as the New England Carpet Sweeper Co. has been about town soliciting repair work on sweepers. At one house he presented his card with his place of business advertised at No. 5 Vine street and was given two sweepers to repair. He later returned them and asked for his pay, $2 at once, stating that he was obliged to leave town that evening. The lady of the house paid him and later found that he had not touched the sweepers. When the office on Vine street was visited it was found to be a cobbler's shop with no knowledge of the carpet sweeper company.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Church has elected the following officers: Miss Helen Doherty, prefect; Miss Lena Fagan, first asst; Miss Catherine Feeley, second asst; Miss Mary McIsaac, sec.

About $125 has been contributed for the Italian relief fund by members of St. Mary's Church.

The annual "physical culture night" of the Calumet Club was held at that club last Saturday night with an attendance of about 300. A number of boxers gave exhibition bouts in three minute rounds and wrestling, balancing and tumbling exhibitions were also given. The evening was in charge of Mr. Charles C. Rogers.

Mr. Henry B. Winn went to a Boston Hospital last week for the purpose of undergoing an operation. He will probably remain there for two weeks more.

Miss Edith Warren and Miss Mae Richardson are on a visit to New York this week. Miss Richardson will take a trip to southern California before she returns.

Diaries and line-a-day books—Wilson the Stationer.

Mr. George H. Carter, secretary of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, attended a meeting of the Mass. Association at Boston, Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas S. Spurr is in Chicago on a brief business trip.

Only ten men in Congress out of 391 have served longer than Congressman McCall.

To those who witness "The Isle of Bamboo" I advise taking an extra handkerchief to absorb the tears of laughter.

Strictly pure candies and ice cream at Covel's.

Master Stanley Erskine was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hospital last week suffering from a hip trouble. An operation on Tuesday revealed that a part of the bone had decayed and it was removed. Reports are that the young man will recover from the trouble and that his condition has already shown much improvement.

On the evening of Jan. 20th, Ellen VonVolkenburg, imitative interpretator of modern plays, will appear at the Calumet Club in the presentation of "Merely Mary Ann." The affair will be the regular January ladies' night of the club.

Mrs. Henry Emerson and daughter have returned from Hollis, N. H.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

A well attended meeting of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's parish was held last Sunday evening. After reports of the past year's work were read, the annual election of officers took place with the following results: President, Francis J. O'Hara; Vice-president, Frank E. Rogers; Secretary, John T. Cosgrove; Treasurer, John Lynch. The society, which is a large and enthusiastic one, will hold a solemn ceremony of reception next Sunday evening at 7.30, when a number of candidates will be admitted to active membership.

I have a particularly fine list of desirable real estate just now. Call and see it. George Adams Woods.

Mrs. Laura M. Clark of Somerville, sister to Mr. John L. Ayer, died at her home on Glenwood avenue, that city, last Thursday. Funeral services were held from the residence Saturday, Jan. 9, at 1.30 p. m.

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One of the handsomest calendars to reach our desk this season was the gift of Mr. F. V. Wooster, representing the Worcester Mutual Fire Insurance Co. A very fine picture of Echo Bridge, one of the State's show places, is shown above the pad.

The annual concert and ball by the large number of employees of the Winchester Laundry will be held in the Town Hall this evening. There will be special cars for Woburn after the dance, and from all indications there will be over 600 people in attendance to listen to the concert and enjoy the dancing.

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Michael Joseph Mathews, brother to Mr. B. F. Mathews of this town died last Sunday morning at his home in Dorchester, after an illness of seven weeks. Death came as a result of a complication of diseases. He was on the Boston police force, being attached to division 10. Nov. 25, 1897, he married Miss Ellen T. O'Connell of Winchester. She, with one son, survives besides his mother and two brothers, Bernard of Winchester and Thomas of Woburn.

Miss Sallie F. Barnes and Miss Lorine F. Tyler are registered at Hotel Green, Pasadena, Cal.

Invitations are out for the wedding reception of Mr. Sumner Thompson McCall and Miss Charlotte Riggs Gardiner, which occurs on Wednesday evening, Feb. 3, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander Gardiner, Evanston, Ill.

May White Tedford, reader and entertainer, will give private lessons in elocution and dramatic work. Call or address 3 Herrick street. j8-4t

Fresh homemade candies at Covel's.

The report last week that Mr. William B. Symonds of Hollis, N. H., formerly of this town, was fatally sick at his home in that town is now stated to be incorrect, much to the gratification of his many friends. Further investigation into his condition by the physicians on the case has resulted in their holding forth hopes of his complete and speedy recovery. It is stated that his serious condition was due solely to an extreme case of appendicitis.

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

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The annual meeting of the Ladies' Western Missionary Society was held last Thursday in the vestry of the First Congregational Church. The yearly reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read. The following members were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Emily V. Littlefield; Vice-president, Mrs. Harriet Redfern; Secretary, Miss Helen Towne; Treasurer, Mrs. Joseph C. Adams; Directors, Mrs. Newton A. Knapp, Mrs. Henry C. Blood, Mrs. William R. McIntosh, and Mrs. George W. Purrington. Miss Billings from the Visiting Nurse Association addressed the meeting. The Society worked for that association at this meeting.

The postponed meeting of the Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be held with Mrs. R. M. Armstrong, Tuesday, Jan. 19th, at 10 a. m. Basket lunch.

Fessenden & Hawes have fitted up a show room in connection with their office at 542 Main street where they will carry a good assortment of caskets and funeral supplies. All funeral paraphernalia is new and up to date and satisfaction is guaranteed.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Master Charles Lawrance, son of Rev. and Mrs. William L. Lawrance, has had the rare good fortune to be appointed to a scholarship in the Allen School for Boys, in West Newton. This appointment, which was a complete surprise to him and to his parents, came through the nomination of the Rev. Clay MacCauley, who was Mr. Lawrance's senior colleague in Missionary work in Japan, and who will be pleasantly remembered by many residents of Winchester. Master Lawrence will begin his work in the Allen School on next Monday.

Town Clerk Carter has issued one license to date under the new rules governing the hunting which recently went into effect. Mr. Marshall W. Symmes is the sole possessor of the permit to shoot and hunt in Winchester.

Try Covel's peanut butter kisses.

This "Isle of Bamboo" by Calumet Club is a wonder and will prove to be a most enjoyable evening.

The Wednesday Afternoon Whist Club met last week at the home of Mrs. Elmer Davis of Winchester Park. Winners were: first prize, a vase, Miss Gertrude Sullivan of Woburn. Mrs. James Carroll and Mrs. John Coakley were tied for second prize, a picture, and in drawing for it it was won by Mrs. Coakley.

Mrs. Catherine J. Fraser of this town has purchased two apartment houses on Ellery street, Cambridge, for investment. The property is assessed on a valuation of $14,300.

Rev. Duncan A. McPhee of this town was elected secretary of the Evangelical Alliance which was held at Park Street Church this week.

Mr. James F. Bunting of Stratford road has been confined to his home this week by a severe attack of rheumatism.

Senator Crosby of this district is chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs and a member of the senate ways and means standing committee.

The iron work of the new Boston-Cambridge bridge is said to be rusting. Although the bridge is not yet fully completed it is well to remember that work on it was begun many years ago.

Mr. John Sullivan of Lake avenue met with a painful accident Tuesday morning by falling on an icy sidewalk, and received a bad gash on the head.

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Old Farmer's Almanacs—Wilson the Stationer.

Mrs. Richardson of Glengarry is quite ill.

Mrs. A. M. Meineke is confined to her room with a fractured ankle.

Mr. Joshua Phippen gave several piano selections at the Abbott Academy Club held at the Vendome on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rogers have been visiting friends in Lancaster.

Mr. Irving Palmer is out again after a severe attack of grippe.

Mrs. Lewis, pianoforte instructor, announces a series of pupils' musicales, at four o'clock on the fourth Saturday of four months, beginning Jan. 23, in Woburn Unitarian Vestry. After pieces played by the younger pupils, Mr. Lewis will give a brief talk on some period of musical history, illustrated by selections from the great composers, played by advanced pupils and Mrs. or Mr. Lewis. Prospective pupils are advised to consult soon, by mail or personally. At home Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, at 1 Maxwell road, 2-5 p. m.

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SCHOOL QUESTION INTERESTS ALL.

Subject Discussed by Various Correspondents in Letters to The STAR.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The apology for certain practices in our public schools by Dr. Blaisdell, in last week's STAR, would call perhaps for no public answer if it were merely the utterance of a private individual, but as he speaks as Chairman of the School Committee, it cannot be allowed to pass without protest. It would be a reflection upon the fair name of Winchester's citizenship if the Doctor's sentiments are to be accepted as those of his fellow-townsmen.

I have no desire or intention to reflect upon the girls and boys who, as members of the Executive Committee of the first year class of the High School, accepted gifts of their class pins from the dealers. They are hardly more than children, and could not be expected to understand the harmful tendency of such acts. It seems that Dr. Blaisdell has brought unnecessary trouble upon these young people by publishing their names and calling attention to their standing and character. The impression which one gathers from his letter is that his defense of these practices is strengthened by the excellent character of those who indulge in them.

There is one minor aspect of the controversy which should receive attention. Dr. Blaisdell justifies the acceptance of these gifts because of the amount of time, labor and expense which the Committee has to give to the work of arranging for these pins. It is the first time that I have ever heard it stated, publicly or privately, that students in our schools or colleges should be paid for services which they rendered their classmates. My experience has been that it is considered a privilege and an honor to serve in such a capacity. A criticism which can be made of this part of the Doctor's defence is that it encourages the idea that service for others must be compensated. Every man who lives in a civilized community owes to the community and to the various organizations with which he is affiliated a certain amount of disinterested service. A man who shirks this obligation to his state, to his town, to his church, to his social organizations, is essentially selfish, and is not entitled to the benefits which accrue from such affiliations. It is not sufficient that he pays his taxes and his dues. Winchester is famed throughout the State for the active participation in public affairs of its best citizens, who serve without compensation and from a sense of public duty. This sentiment of unselfish public service ought to be encouraged in every form, and scholars in our schools ought not to be led to think that for such service as they render their classmates they ought to receive compensation.

But the more serious aspect of the Doctor's apology is the encouragement which it gives to young people to think that there is nothing wrong in accepting presents when they are acting in a fiduciary capacity. If presents are to be given, they should be given by the one employing the agent, and not by the one with whom the agent has his dealings. In business life the purpose of giving presents to the agents of others is usually to influence such agents against the best interests of their employers. But it is not necessary to enter into any elaborate condemnation of such practices. The laws of this State come pretty near making them a crime. Chapter 343 of the Acts of 1904, is in part as follows:

"An agent, employee or servant, who, being authorized to procure materials, supplies or other articles either by purchase or contract for his principal, employer or master, or to employ service or labor for his principal, employer or master, receives directly or indirectly, for himself or for another, a commission, discount or bonus from the person who makes such sale or contract, or furnishes such materials, supplies or other articles, or from a person who renders such service or labor; and any person who gives or offers such an agent, employee or servant such commission, discount or bonus, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor no more than five hundred dollars, or by such fine and by imprisonment for not more than one year."

The most harmful feature of Dr. Blaisdell's defense is that it is likely to influence the young people of the town. As Chairman of the School Committee, he ought to set the highest standard of conduct, and it is expected of him, as it is expected of teachers and ministers, that their ideals shall be the highest because of the tremendous influence which their conduct and ideals have upon the unformed character of the young people of the community.

If this were simply my individual opinion I should not feel like trespassing upon your space, but there is an energetic and emphatic protest upon the part of many business men of this community that Dr. Blaisdell's extraordinary letter should not go unanswered.

EDGAR J. RICE.

January 20, 1909.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

It is to be regretted that a citizen of Winchester cannot express himself on a question of vital importance to the parents of the Town without being accused by the Chairman of the School Committee with having a grievance, and with being actuated by a desire to rush into print. Such a charge is childish and somewhat narrow-minded. The parents of Winchester will pass final judgment on the question at issue, and not the learned Gentleman of the School Board.

Mr. Blaisdell is endowed with sublime faith if he believes what he says about the cost of pins. An experience of over twenty-five years with a concern where the original costs of patterns, dies and tools cut quite a figure in the cost of the manufactured article, has not as yet shown us how we can furnish a hundred dozen of any one article and make the buyer a present of six dozen without figuring the price accordingly. Mr. Blaisdell makes a weak argument, and hardly worthy of a Chairman of the Winchester School Board.

It was not necessary to bring the names of the Pin Committee into print to prove or disapprove the practice. We have the highest regard for these young people, as well as all members of the class—it is the principal involved in the transaction that we attacked, and not the scholars.

At present there must be a confusion of ideas in the minds of the scholars. Mr. Lovering and Mr. Herron have told them the practice was wrong and they did not wish to have it occur again, while the Chairman of the School Board has advised them to go ahead as there was nothing wrong in the transaction.

Let me offer my young friends a bit of advice. Do not put too much stock in what Mr. Blaisdell writes—we believe he is wrong, and we have enough confidence in your good judgment to believe as the years go by you will realize that the gentleman had a misguided idea as to what constitutes graft.

A certain business man of the Town spent a good part of one evening last week in explaining to his son how the principle of graft was illustrated in the pin transaction. The gentleman holds the position of buyer for the largest wholesale and retail supply house of its kind in Boston, and realizes the practical part of the question.

We believe the majority of the parents in Winchester will not agree with Mr. Blaisdell, but on the contrary will endeavor to show their children the true conditions.

R. D. A. THOMPSON.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Since our schools have lost the services of certain teachers because of dissatisfaction with the policies of our school committee, I would suggest that Mr. Suter obtain from the said teachers brief statements of the particular reasons that constrained them to leave Winchester, and that he publish the same in an early issue of The STAR in order that our citizens may know just what the trouble is with our schools from the standpoint of our teachers.

While it is not to be expected that in addition to his or her duties in the classroom, teachers will also undertake—individually or collectively—those of school committee and superintendent, it is reasonable to suppose that any teacher may at times be able to indicate defects and suggest remedies to the possible improvement of our school system.

The fact that the teachers who have left us did not make their views known to the committee, shows, perhaps, that the committee had discouraged any confidence in school matters between the teachers and themselves—as a body or individually.

If such has been the case it seems to me that it should be definitely shown and seriously considered.

Mr. Suter, who of course knows the teachers to whom he makes reference, can probably obtain from each one a brief, but clear statement of the reasons impelling them to give up their situations here and seek, or at least accept, employment in other towns. While it would add much to the value of their statements if given over their own signatures (as the standing of the individual in his or her chosen profession is an element to be considered in arriving at a conclusion) it would not be absolutely necessary that any names should be divulged. No one could possibly suspect Mr. Suter of manufacturing testimony to support any statement or opinion of his own.

It would be interesting also, to have the persons who expressed themselves in the manner quoted by Mr. Suter, indicated by references that would suggest their qualifications to pass judgment in matters of educational administration.

One man's opinion might reasonably carry more weight than that of half a dozen others less experienced or less successful in matters in any way related to instructions in schools.

We all want to get the full worth of the money appropriated for the support of our schools. Mr. Suter has certainly shown equal solicitude in that direction with anyone, and can be depended upon to do all that lies in his power to make the real situation clear to every voter in town, to the end that real and beneficent reforms may be undertaken without delay.

M. F.

PIN MONEY 1909.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

If Dr. Blaisdell's good natured, if not logical, argument in favor of the present method of purchasing High school class pins is correct in the theory that the first pin made is the only one that costs much money and that the makers can well afford to give away additional pins to the committee ordering them, why not have the committee consist of the whole class excepting one member, that member to be drawn by lot, and for whom a pin should be ordered, then all but one of the class would get pins for nothing, and perhaps the town could be induced to pay for that single pin as it pays for other more or less foolish High school expenses of an ornamental or social nature.

Another way to carry on the pin business commercially, would be to have the committee charge the whole class for its expenses for travel, wear and tear to the intellect in selecting a design, handling the money, etc., then all pay alike for their badges of class nobility.

In all seriousness, it does not seem quite right for those in charge of our schools to allow (and certainly not to defend in any way) such petty commercialism as has been shown to exist for the past few years in the class pin committees at the High school. Why consult the scholars and ask them what they think about it: give the names of the class committee, as if their family standing in the community made the small, picayune "business" any more respectable or high-toned?

The scholars should be sent to school to be taught by their teachers what is right, not to be consulted as to what is proper, and their opinions given more weight than that of their elders. Better the classes in the High school go without pins (and many scholars have graduated without pins from the Winchester High and Grammar school who have made more than pin marks in the world) than to pu chase class pins in the way acknowledged by the school authorities.

Such petty, if not low, commercialism is on a par with the patriotic efforts of some of the High school boys a few years ago who solicited public subscriptions for a Fourth of July celebration, receiving ten per cent. of the amount they each collected as pay for their services, said boys not being willing to play any ball games or make any effort whatever to entertain the public on the glorious Fourth, except what they were paid for in hard cash.

All this is the fruit of too much codling, spending too much money on youngsters and entertaining them with dances and social functions, making the hard road to learning a royal road, all roses and no thorns, and not a good, practical way to bring out whatever is good in the scholar by earnest work and serious behavior.

Such methods tend to make the young mind feel its own importance a little too much and naturally leads it to think of itself and its own selfish enjoyments as things naturally belonging to it, they come so easy. Selfishness is almost thrust upon the scholars at the High School because so much is done for them outside of serious book work which they do not appreciate. "He that knows how to live is learned enough," said one of the world's master minds, a man of great education and most perfect living. So much of present day education as does not teach earnest effort, high living and noble sacrifice in place of low "getting in" or successful commercialism is worse, worse than no education at all, for in the best sense, selfish commercialism but fosters a low order of living at the best. As much as possible, children should be taught how to live as well as to how to cram down book knowledge simply as a means of "succeeding" in the world and turning out successful grabbers.

ARTHUR E. WHITNEY.

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BAPTIST BUSINESS MEETING

The annual business meeting of the First Baptist Church was held on Monday evening, with the Rev. Arthur L. Winn, Moderator, and H. Earle Richardson, Clerk. Brevity, unanimity and enthusiasm marked its proceedings. Carefully prepared written reports from all departments of work revealed a year of earnest work which has been crowned with Divine goodness. The total receipts from all sources and for all purposes approximate $4000. Of this sum $1000 was devoted to our various benevolences, both home and foreign. The Church Treasurer reported a small deficit of $70, but this was quickly made up at the meeting. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to all who had helped to make the year so successful.

Regret was expressed that our organist and director, William T. Rutherford, is about to leave for New York, to accept a position there, and words of appreciation were spoken of the five years of most excellent service rendered.

The Nominating Committee, Rev. Arthur L. Winn, Mr. Wallace P. Palmer, Mrs. George A. Weld, Mrs. Arthur P. Briggs and Mr. John S. Blank, brought in the following nominations for officers and committees for 1909, and the work of the Committee was so carefully performed that no one declined to serve. The officers and committees for the new year are as follows:

Moderator—Rev. Arthur L. Winn.
Clerk—H. Earle Richardson.
Treasurer—Harry C. Sanborn.
Auditor—Willard A. Bradley.
Superintendent—Arthur P. Briggs.
S. S. Treasurer—Roy Goodwin.
S. S. Secretary—Robert Leland.

Standing Committee — Frederic S. Osgood, Newton Shultis, Daniel C. Linscott, Jr., George Bigley and Clovis N. Johnson.

Prudential Committee—Mrs. Edward H. Rice, Mrs. Wallace P. Palmer, Mrs. Arthur P. Briggs and Rev. Arthur L. Winn.

Deacon for 5 years—Henry E. Lingham.

Social Committee—Mrs. Willard A. Bradley, Mrs. John S. Blank, Jr., Mrs. Mott A. Cummings, Mrs. Samuel W. Smith, and Mrs. Ida L. Taylor.

Strangers Committee—Mrs. George A. Weld, Mr. John S. Blank, Sr., and Mrs. Blank, Mr. Alexander Macdonald, Mrs. Macdonald and Mrs. George Bigley.

Sick Committee—Mrs. Fred A. Newth, Mrs. Ida W. Peters, Mrs. J. Albert Hersey, Rev. Arthur L. Winn and Mr. Fred A. Sanborn.

Flower Committee — Miss Jessie L. Macdonald, Miss Clara Macdonald, Miss Agnes Crawford, Miss Marguerite Downer and Miss Cora Mitton.

Baptism Committee—Mrs. Henry E. Hodge, Willard A. Bradley, Forbes D. Smith and Miss Irene Muse.

As the Pastor and his wife returned home from the business meeting they were completely surprised to find the house filled by those who had been at the meeting, and who had gathered to wish them hearty congratulations upon their tenth wedding anniversary. It was a genuine surprise, and very deeply appreciated.

MRS. HORACE D. BRADBURY.

Mrs. Betsey A. Bradbury, widow of the late Horace D. Bradbury, died at the home af her daughter, Mrs. Herbert S. Underwood, on Central street yesterday. She was in her 72nd year. Her death was due to pneumonia, although she had been in poor health for the past two months.

Mrs. Bradbury was born in Stanstead, P. Q., her parents being Samuel and Betsey A. (Bagley) Dustin. She had made her residence in Winchester for nearly 40 years. Her husband, the late Horace D. Bradbury, died about ten years ago, and was formerly one of the most prominent citizens of the town. Mrs. Underwood is the only surviving child.

Funeral services are to be held from the home, No. 9 Central street on Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

W. I. A.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Winchester Improvement Association was held last evening in the small Town Hall, with an attendance of about a half dozen members. Dr. Clarence J. Allen presided and spoke briefly concerning the aims of the association. After concluding the business of the past year and some business before the meeting, he introduced the new president, Mr. Charles N. Harris, who accepted the position with a few brief remarks.

The following officers were elected:

President, Chas. N. Harris.
Vice President, Samuel J. Elder.
Secretary, A. Wm. Rooney.
Treasurer, Dr. Wm. Gilpatric.

Directors—Chas. N. Harris, Samuel J. Elder, A. Wm. Rooney, Dr. Wm. H. Gilpatric, John L. Ayer, J. J. Fitzgerald, Roy I. Palmer, Preston Pond, S. D. Leland, Robert Coit, Arthur W. Hale, and Harry Cox.

BUSINESS MEN'S CONFERENCE.

The Business Men's Sunday Noon Conference was addressed by Senator J. Howell Crosby, at the home of Frederic S. Osgood, Rangeley, Winchester.

About forty men were present. This organization makes a practice of discussing each Sunday at the First Baptist chapel for one hour, subjects that have to do with social problems.

The remarks of Senator Crosby were received with great interest, and he held the attention of the party for an hour. His subject was "Personal Reminiscences as a Member of the Massachusetts Legislature." He said that he believed that the demand for improved city charters as instruments of government was a good symptom, in that it showed that the people's interest was becoming aroused, but that after all, it must not be lost sight of that in the last analysis, while it was our duty to get as perfect instruments of government as possible, yet good government depended upon the moral tone of the people.

The Senator spoke very feelingly of his associations with Ex-Governor Crane and as well as the high calibre of the members of the state legislature.

He also spoke of the organization of the Legislature, taking it from the earliest times, and showing its evolution and development.

In closing, he emphasized the necessity of every man taking his part in the political activities of town or city, doing his duty as a voter and exerting his influence for what he thought morally was right, as he felt that in the long run, when it came to a question of right or wrong, the voters would always vote in the right way.

Mr. Halford Ambler officiated at the piano and rendered two numbers beautifully, and the host, Mr. Osgood, supplied refreshments.

This affair was the second of this nature held by the organization. This organization is constantly gaining in headway. For the coming month it is discussing Women in Industry, with an address by Carrie E. Small of Boston on this subject. All men of Winchester are welcome.

A NEW INDUSTRY.

Ground has been broken and the cellar foundation built for a new industry at Winchester Park near the ice bridge on Main street. The name of the concern is the Lightning Hose Coupling Co. and the manager is Mr. Edwin C. Fisher of Hillcrest. The company has secured possession of nearly an acre of land on the above park about a hundred feet back from Main street. The building is to be one story, 104 feet in length with two wings, the main building being 36 feet in width and is to be of tile and cement with cement floor. It is expected that it will be completed and ready for occupancy March 1st.

The hose coupling that the company is to manufacture is a big improvement over that at present in use and will unquestionably come into general favor. Hose can be coupled and uncoupled almost instantly, and prominent manufacturers of hose and fire chiefs speak very highly of it. This is a very important matter during a fire, and the simple mechanism is such that there can be no slip up in coupling, it being done in an instant.

The company expects to open up the business with about twenty men. In addition to the space devoted to making the couplings there will also be a foundry. There is also sufficient land for extension of the building.

PRIZE COMPETITION SHEFFIELD WEST.

On Christmas Eve the winners in the competition for the best essays on Sheffield West received their prizes; gold coins enclosed in suitable cases, which coming at that time must have seemed almost like Christmas Gifts. Most of the boys and girls of Winchester failed to appreciate the opportunity as there were only four essays entitled to consideration for which prizes were awarded as follows:

1st, $10 in gold—Anthony M. Cullen, 26 Richardson street.

2nd, $5 in gold—Marguerite Faulkner, 310 Main street.

Honorable Mention, $1 each—Mabel Carlson, 88 Cambridge street and Elizabeth Fishe, 103 Cambridge street.

HEARTY THANKS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

At the Concert given Jan. 14th, in aid of the Italian Sufferers, we cleared two hundred and fifty-five dollars and 50 cents, which I take to the Red Cross Society today.

I wish to thank the people of Winchester for giving me such good support and also for the hearty welcome which was so kindly given to each artist.

Yours sincerely
A. LAURA TOLMAN.

20 Eaton Street, Winchester.
January 19th, 1909.

THE MODERN DRAMA.

The second of the literary studies on "The Modern Drama" was given on Thursday morning, Jan. 14, in the small Town Hall. Ibsen's "A Doll's House" being the drama considered. The speaker again noted Ibsen's mission in pointing out the weakened rotten parts of the social structure. Not an optimist, he paved the way for those who should have a remedy to suggest for the evils made apparent.

The scene principally studied is the one where the forged note is discovered and Nora stands at the judgment seat whereon her husband sits as judge. She has throughout shown the utter irresponsibility and dependence of a creature treated like a pretty child, one who had never thought out a matter for herself, and whose lack of judgment and trained reasoning betrays her into an act which is a crime in the eyes of the law. Her husband's selfish absorption and brutal disregard of the real motive underlying her act, his slavish fear of "what would be said," and unmanly arraigning of his wife as the author of all imaginable ills which might befall him, changing when it was discovered that the note had been returned and so the matter could be hidden from the criticizing public, was taken up in detail, and the whole unworthy nature of the man disclosed in the manner in which he meets the supreme spiritual crisis of his life. Nora in her eccentricities and the erratic way in which she decides the fate of husband and children indissolubly bound up with her own, is nevertheless the nobler of the two characters. Hers is simply the weakness of the creature long chained who suddenly has the chains stricken from his limbs, and freedom presented to him. The whole unlovely scene, the husband struggling back to the position of lord of creation and condescending master of the woman "given" to him, Nora like one half awakened, seeing as through a glass darkly, but seeing nevertheless as she never saw before, was depicted with power, and the portions read and commented upon were greatly appreciated.

Yesterday morning Mr. Brown considered "Mrs. Warren's Profession," by Bernard Shaw.

COUNTRY CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Winchester Country Club will be held at the club house, Monday evening, January 25, at eight o'clock. Included in the business is an article to see whether Article VIII of the by-laws shall be amended by changing the words ten dollars ($10) to twenty dollars ($20) and five dollars ($5) to ten dollar ($10), so that the same shall read when amended:—"The initiation fee for members shall be $20, and for special members $10" or shall be amended in any other manner.

The following nominations officers for the ensuing year have been made by the nominating committee and posted in accordance with the by-laws:—Samuel J. Elder, President; John Abbott, Vice President; Richard S. Sanborn, Treasurer; James Nowell, Secretary.

The board of directors are:—John Abbott, Frank E. Bernard, George M. Brooks, Samuel J. Elder, Frank L. Hunt, James Nowell, William D. Richards, James W. Russell Jr. and Richard S. Sanborn.

On the night of the annual meeting, dinner will be served at the club house, at 6.30 P. M.

WINCHESTER BRASS BAND.

Mr. George Bigley, Director of the Winchester Band tendered his resignation as leader last Thursday evening on account of not having the time to devote to the work as he feels he should. Mr. Bigley has had charge of the Band for the last 9 months and has given his services, time and experience gratis. All lovers of music will appreciate his efforts, especially the ones who attended the concert given a few weeks ago. He has worked hard to get the best results obtainable and has placed the Band on a good standing, both musically and financially, and it is hoped that the members of the Band will continue to improve and have a good Band in Town and appreciate his services that he has so willingly given.

THREE SELECTMEN TO BE ELECTED.

Messrs. James F. Dwinell, W. D. Richards and F. E. Barnard have announced that they will not be candidates for re-election to the Board of Selectmen. This will leave but two of the present Board—Messrs. F. W. Winn and Peter Walling—who will be candidates. As yet no names have been mentioned for the three positions.

Winchester Public Library.

JAN. 18—FEB. 6, 1909.

Exhibition of Photographs loaned by the Library Art Club. Up the Rhine,

THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

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HIGH SCHOOL FRATERNITIES.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

You reprint in your issue of the 15th inst., an editorial paragraph extracted from the Boston Herald, as follows:

"The High school fraternities of Denver have engaged counsel to fight the school board in its effort to prohibit these organizations that, in so many instances, pervert the life of our intermediary schools. This is not surprising. It is entirely logical, and in consonance with much other license shown by 'Young America.' Some day children in their teens will have their legal counsel to prevent parental discipline in the few homes where it still lingers."

Though the High School may have failed to equip its pupils for voyaging in unknown seas, it can at least boast of having taught them the beaten ways of men. High School athletics, high school dances, high school social clubs, bear witness to this; but most strikingly the high school fraternity. Its practices reproduce adult life so faithfully that school authories find conventional rules of pedagogy inapplicable to its members. The young gentlemen have their club rooms, their smokers, their theatre parties, and when threatened, their press agents and attorneys. Judges must interrupt the calendar to listen, and I recall where the United States Supreme Court was called upon to define the inalienable and alienable Rights of Boy.

The decade old war is renewed every year. The Chicago Board of Education has opened this year's campaign with an order that "frats" must return to a state of boy nature. In reply, the persecuted, from Alpha to Omega, held high jinks in their palatial club houses, while fond parents paid the lawyers. Were it not for the perversity among children, the blundering of educators, and the parental incompetence here brought to light, the situation would be flawless comedy.

With a few brilliant exceptions, high school teachers and their superiors have woefully mismanaged their case. Their conviction that the secret society is inherently evil has a sound basis in facts, but not one broad enough to carry all their antagonism to the institution. True, the veneer of maturity has been glued to saplings. For the college man, living away from home, a fraternity has a certain usefulness wholly lacking in the case of his younger brother at the preparatory school. If the imitation of college manners went no farther than the founding of a club with impetuous title and rites, the high school child might be humored in this; but so long as he is left to his own devices, his immaturity leads him straight into apish extravagance injurious to himself, his parents and the school. Strange oaths, Druidic ceremonies, and gold pins suffice not; a house, or at worst an apartment, must be leased, furnished and made cozey with pictures, banner and piano. Then, of course, the "frat" must demonstrate its power and general superiority before the world; its members must secure school offices, break school athletic records, set a new high water mark for lavish entertainment and worldly wisdom. The results have often been described at educational gatherings: "early sophistication," snoblishness, factional bitterness, dissipation, neglect of studies, and break down of school discipline.

There is no more pedagogical austerity in the complaint teachers raise against all the monkey shines. But it is foolish to attempt to end the nuisance by declaring open war upon the "frat," with solemn manifesto, boardmeetings, etc. The whole procedure only goes to show that the miles and miles of thesis and text books on child psychology and pedagogy, run athwart the road to knowledge and have set no sign posts for the teacher who would handle live boys and girls.

After all, be his trousers ever so well creased, the high school boy is brother to the hoodlum whom the pursuing policeman makes heroic and a ride in the patrol wagon a demi-god. To forestall this dangerous notoriety of the street boy, we have established children's courts. Is not equal diplomacy called for in the high school? Principals bewail their inability to crush the fraternities even by wholesale expulsions and rigid standards of scholarship. As well complain that a man cannot be starved, even by giving him food and drink. Boy life is all the sweeter when at war with the State; one's ingenuity is tickled by midnight councils, where ways and means of baffling the authorities are devised and the envious glances of the classroom pay fat dividends on lost sleep. Deplore the crudity of American youth as you may; you must still reckon with it while it lasts. If publicity and "persecution" merely strengthen juvenile resistance, plainly different tactics are in order. Assistance from the homes should be more generally sought, for the responsibility of fathers and mothers for the excesses of their children is obvious. Without friends, the "frat" dwindles to an ordinary boys' clique, without permission to stay out late of nights, and to waste study hours, the high school youth must console himself with more innocent pleasures. To bring about such results, shrewd principals are trying to instruct parents in the wisdom of controlling their liberality and their children with some regard for the welfare of the latter and their classmates. Where this has been accomplished the "frat" has become not only harmless, but ever a welcome substitute for the "gang." In a few schools, it has been converted into a sort of Phi Beta Kappa with membership based upon character and scholarship.

That this happy outcome is still so rare is not the fault of the teachers alone. We Americans are prejudiced in favor of the let-alone method of home training. False ideas about manliness and social distinction teem in many a mother's brain. The disposition is still strong to regard teachers as the natural enemies of youth. Children must not be thwarted, and anyhow, it takes too much time to regulate their lives. Let them do anything they choose, so long as they do not interfere with father's business, and the afternoon teas. This muddle of loose, selfish philosophy in the family lies between more than one teacher and the regenerated high school of his dreams. More than any other one thing, it makes the fraternity and the "early sophistication" of high school pupils generally so serious a problem for educators today.

EUGENE BERTRAM WILLARD.

Everett, Mass.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

With all this talk about the schools going on in the papers I want to tell you that we people who haven't got all the money are in the fight too. We had a mighty good debate at my house Sunday, when my old mate Green of the McKay shop was out from Beverly for the first time in seven months, and my neighbor Kelley dropped in too. Green can give some mighty fine ideas in schools, him being a graduate of one of these business colleges with actual experiences. He argued some good points, but the more I think it over the harder it is to my mind to tell which way he agreed, him being inclined to talk in parallels as he calls it.

Said he, "I hear you are having trouble about the children's jewelry in the schools."

"What was that," says Kelley.

"Why," says he. "I mean the school ornaments, what the lads wear on their vests and give to the girls for keep-sakes, and what the girls wear on their shoulder for the boys to swipe."

"The pins of the class you mean," says Kelley, "I saw that myself. Some of them got them for nothing and the rest is kicking."

"You mean its the broaches of matrimony," says I, "there's no class to it. The poor kids can pay for them too."

"Yes," says Green, "their kicking, and what about. These kids do the work for all the rest, and when the company makes them a little present the rest puts up a holler."

"Well, my Kate bought one and the gold all rusted," says I.

"That ain't it," says Green. "Why shou dn't these kids get them for nothing. Our firm gets all kinds of little souvenirs from the trade; the office is full of them. It's good business," says he, "and when I was in college our motto was 'business from the start,' and look at me," says he. "I always follow it. If they have it in college what's the kick at having it in school. Ain't that what the school's for—to send them to college? Why should they kick," says he, "if these poor kids what do all the work gets presented with trifling souvenirs."

"They always do," says Kelley, "leastwise them that don't need to."

Then he told about how his boss at the shop told him to get a couple dozen combs at the pharmacy on his way down in the morning, being as how the boys had swiped most of them in the dressing room. He said he stopped at the pharmacy, and when he ordered the best and no prices asked, seeing they was for the company, the clerk, being a nice, obliging young fellow, said to call again, and gave him a nice one for his woman. Well, says he, he took the combs down to the shop and give them to his boss, and bless'd if the old man didn't see this one sticking out of his pocket, and he pulled it out and laid it up to Kelley that he had swiped it. Kelley gave it to him straight, but he wouldn't let him out till he counted the others. And when Kelley, a little while after, thinking he'd like a brush to go with his woman's comb, asked the boss if he hadn't better get some for the shop, the boss pretty near kicked him out, and said he had a good mind to make him pay the bill for the rotten old combs he got. And Kelley said the one he took home to the woman was as nice a one as ever he see.

"There you are," says Green. "If you ever had a business education you would have kept your woman's comb out of sight, instead of sticking it up in the boss's face. It's a fine purchasing agent you would be, and that's one of the best jobs there is. You ought to go to school and learn actual business."

"They got it too," says Kelley.

"They may be a little weak," says Green, "but you can't expect a kid to learn everything at once."

"But our agent told me," says I, "that he wouldn't take a present of a five cent cigar, he's that strict."

"Then he's no business holding down the job," says Green. "He's no business man and he must have a pull. It's always them fellows that get the snaps, and us hard working boys with the business have to sit outside."

"Well," says my woman, "some of them boys wouldn't let my Martin get elected to their secret society."

"There's another question that you need convincing on," says Green.

And when he comes out again he is going to tell us how he thinks about that, and when he does I will send it to you to print, Mr. Editor.

My arm is that sore that I had to get my girl Kate to do the writing, and with her not quite sure about the spelling and all, you may find some small mistakes, but she graduates next summer and I'm going to send her to a normal school, so she can earn her own living teaching actual business here in the schools.

TANNER.

EDITOR of THE STAR:

Mr. Wingate of the school committee did well to emphasize in his letter to The STAR the point that the main purpose of our High school is not to fit a select few among its pupils for entrance to yet higher schools, but to prepare the mass of our boys and girls who enter it for their future careers in life, so far as the same may depend upon "book knowledge" or the discipline of school life.

If, however, we hold out the promise of opportunity to fit for college, we ought to make fairly liberal provision for doing so.

As was made tolerably clear, the economical side of the question has to be considered and a balancing of expenditures as between the different grades kept always in mind. I contend that if there must be a scrimping somewhere in order to avoid extravance, it should be in the higher departments of instruction and not in the primary and grammar schools.

"The greatest good to the greatest number" should be the motto of the school committee.

Even if it be true, as I am not ready to concede it to be, that the graduates of our leading preparatory schools do better in college and are more useful and successful in active life than those who enter college from a high school, it would not follow that we should, as a town, undertake to be so liberal in respect to the number of teachers and their compensations as are well endowed preparatory schools, whose charges are far beyond the ability of the ordinary parent to meet.

WINTHROP.

LAUNDRY EMPLOYEES HOLD THEIR ANNUAL BALL.

The Town Hall was taxed to its capacity last Friday evening, the occasion being the Second Annual Concert and Ball given by the Employees of the well known Winchester Laundry. Many friends were present from Woburn, Medford and other surrounding towns.

The stage was tastefully decorated with palms and potted plants.

A very pleasing concert and entertainment was enjoyed by all, which consisted of selections by the Orchestra, under the direction of John J. Hern: tenor solo, "Queen of the Earth" by Mr. Angus McDonald of Medford; a clever slack wire performance by Mr. C. C. Bradbury and a humorous sketch by Messrs. James and William Hammond.

Much credit is due to the Committee in charge of arrangements, among whom were: Ball Committee, John Meade chairman, Miss Anna C. Cullen sec., Timothy V. Desmond treas., Addlice Laforte asst. treas.; reception committee, Miss May Gorman and Miss Nellie Deery; entertainment committee, Miss Elizabeth V. Cullen, Miss Eula Budreau and James Hammond; refreshment, John Meade, Miss J. Callahan, Miss Mary Reagan, Percy Johnson, Miss Mary Flaherty, Miss Josephine Cannitt and Miss Josephine Burke.

The floor was in charge of Mr. Timothy V. Desmond, floor marshal, assisted by Miss Susan Tolan, floor directress, and Miss Anna C. Cullen, assistant floor directress, and the following aids: Miss Josephine Dowling, Miss Florence Maguire, Miss Catherine Connolly, Miss Margaret Connolly, Miss Mary F. McCraven, Miss Cassie Doherty, Miss Catherine Donovan, Miss Nellie Finnerty, Miss Cecelia Flaherty, Miss Katherine, Regan, Miss Mary A. Flaherty, Miss Mae E. Flaherty, Miss Mary B. Weathers, Miss Catherine Hargrove, Miss Bertha Hunnewell, Miss Viola Joyce, Miss Moleta LaVache, Miss Jennie Lester, Miss Emma Lovett, Miss Alice Barry, Miss May McConnell, Miss Annie L. Cullen, Miss Nellie Mulhern, Miss Annie Murphy, Miss Margaret Murray, Miss Cora Porter, Miss Julia Flaherty, Miss Mae Smitherman, Miss Nellie Welch, Miss Caroline Flynn, Miss May E. White, Miss Maria Fay and Miss Lettia Farrell.

On Monday afternoon two young girls said to have been Grace Buckley and Lillian Winn, broke through the ice in the mill pond at the rear of the Town Hall. The girls were crossing the river and as they went through the ice at the narrowest part of the stream, the water only reached to their shoulders and they were able to get out themselves. Had the water been deep they would probably have been drowned, for while they were seen by many persons, no one was near enough to offer assistance.

EXTRACTS FROM INTERESTING LETTER.

Through the courtesy of Principal Arthur P. Briggs of the Wadleigh grammar school we are able to reproduce in part an interesting letter received a few days ago from Miss Annie B. Stott, a well known teacher of that school who is spending the winter in California.

Miss Stott's letter deals so interestingly with many of the features and facts of California that we feel it will prove interesting reading, although in no sense written for publication:

SANTA ROSA, CAL., Dec. 20, 1908.

You will see by the heading that we have changed our location. We are now five hundred and seventy-five miles north of Los Angeles, visiting cousins, and are to stay here until after Christmas. It is cold here as I saw ice yesterday morning more than three-quarters of an inch thick, and it is decidedly cool today, though people say such a long cold spell is almost unprecedented.

A part of the trip from Los Angeles was most charming, as for more than sixty miles we rode with the broad Pacific on one side, and the Coast Range mountains on the other. Much of the way though there were two enormous engines on the train, as the elevation varied from twelve hundred feet to two, with numerous ups and downs, sharp curves and several long tunnels, one of which was a mile and a quarter in length. I saw the "thousand hills" I am sure, for mile after mile they stretched away, peak beyond peak as far as the eye could reach; and although we left Los Angeles at eight o'clock in the morning I was so sorry to have the darkness hide it all. We reached San Francisco at midnight, and started out again at four the next afternoon, reaching here at seven o'clock that evening. Our route crossed the Golden Gate on two ferries at different angles, each about a twenty minute ride. This is a pretty little city, nearly surrounded by mountains. It suffered as much in proportion to its size as did San Francisco in the same quake.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 4, 1909.

When we reached Los Angeles last Wednesday evening about nine o'clock, we found that Santa Claus had been there before us and among the remembrances was "The Great Stone Face." That has always been a great favorite of mine, and I shall make a speedy acquaintance with the rest of the book which is not as familiar to me.

We enjoyed our visit there very much indeed, and saw many sights which were decided novelties. One was a church of goodly dimensions, every part of which with the exception of the floors was built from one tree. This redwood does not make good floors, so other wood was used, though there was plenty of this tree left, and the remainder was sawed into thousands of shingles.

It seems strange also to see the icemen saw the cakes of ice in their carts into the proper size. I decided that this artificial ice was too expensive to chop up as the men do with what Nature furnishes at home.

Monday night, just a week ago we spent in Frisco. The trip from Santa Rosa was over a different route from the way we went, but this one also contained several tunnels and the inevitable ferry. This ferry was from Timuron, and it is six and a half miles long. We had a good view of the Golden Gate which is a mile wide.

The next morning at 10.20 we left San Francisco by the ferry to Oakland where we took the train for Fresno, which we reached that night at 6.10. The country was very low and level as far as the eye could see nearly all of the way, with plenty of mud and water, and it seemed as if the ocean must be at the horizon. Chicken farming seemed to be the favorite industry, and white leghorns the favorite breed. By the way, white eggs bring a higher price here than brown.

Wednesday morning at 8.50 we set out from Fresno, headed for Los Angeles. This was a most delightful ride. Most of the forenoon was spent in passing through the vineyards for which this valley is noted. From about one o'clock our way was steadily upward until we reached Tehachapi, an elevation of 4,003 feet. During the afternoon and evening we passed through twenty-eight tunnels, the longest of which was a mile and a quarter. In one place the road completely encircles a small hill forming "The Loop," and here you can see the rails in five different places and two tunnels. We passed between, through and around many peaks varying from 7000 to 8000 feet and towards night the tops of some of them were snow covered.

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What Happened in Winchester 30 Years Ago, or Thereabouts.

Taken From Old Files

The city papers stated that the lightning had killed a child of Varnum Locke, West side. This was incorrect, it was Mr. Locke's barn, and not his bairn, that was struck.

Severe hail storm played great havoc among the glass houses. Mr. Twombly suffered to the extent of 100 panes, but Mr. Newman counts 800 broken in his conservatory.

Hubert Decelle, a child of J. D. Decelle, narrowly escaped being killed by a team driven by Mr. Nathaniel Simonds, of Woburn. The child was knocked down, but the horses stopped before the wheel could pass over his body.

There is now (1878) living within about one half of a mile of the station, at Winchester Highlands, six couples, whose average age is seventy-four years, and have been married over fifty years, and another couple whose average age, is eighty-four years, and have been married sixty-three years, and two ladies, eighty and seventy-one years old, and two men about seventy years old each.

Among the many enjoyable ways of spending a day at this season of the year, none are more so, than the one participated in by myself and others on Saturday of last week. On the morning of that day, a party of twenty-two, mostly from the Symmes' corner section of the town, found themselves aboard the "Queen of Winchester," with sundry baskets, shawls, wraps, &c. indicating the character of the trip, and under the guidance of the veteran Major started for Wellesley. While on our way, let us call the roll of the tribes and see who are represented. Luther, who faithfully superintends the Mystic Water Works with three others of the well known tribe of Symmes, Samual, with the long name, of the tribe of Cushing, left his expresses to look out for themselves one day, while he expressed himself and wife in another direction. Although there was a good breeze stirring to make it comfortable travelling, yet we carried some Ayer with us in addition: Richard the shepherd, with an assistant of the tribe of Metcalf endeavored to keep his sheep from going astray; there were four Spatts to urge us along and give to us weight and jovialibility; the tribes of Luther, Blake, Whitney, and Harrington, had one represent ative; Edwin of the tribe of Wadleigh left the musty and impure precincts of the House to inhale for a while the pure air of the country, while the tribe of Wellington, four in number brought up the rear and looked after the others. Notwithstanding the violent storms of the previous days the roads were in admirable condition, and the journey through the towns of Arlington, Belmont, Waltham, Newton and Grantville a very pleasant one, enlivened as it was by the social element of the company which was at times strikingly manifested. Arriving at the entrance to Ridge Hill Farms, Wellesley, the scribe of the party registered names, procured tickets of admission to the Towers and Grotto on the payment of ten cents for each one, and all set out to see the sights, which were much enjoyed.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The midwinter convention of the Middlesex County Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held next Wednesday, January 27, at Phillips Brooks Hall, Frances E. Willard Settlement, 44 Chambers street, Boston, beginning at 10 a. m. Luncheon will be served between morning and afternoon sessions at a normal price, the profit if any going to the Settlement. Besides the ordinary business, reports, etc. there will be some bright talks on topics of interest and the public is cordially invited. It is hoped there will be a large representation from the Winchester Union as the notice came too late for delegates to be appointed at the last meeting. For those who have not already visited the Settlement in its new quarters it will be an excellent opportunity to inspect the work there being done for the benefit of the neighborhood.

During the week the presence of Mrs. Lilian M. N. Stevens and Miss Anna Gordon, president and secretary of the National W. C. T. U. has inspired several large gatherings, notably the one in Ford Hall Tuesday night when the question of scientific temperance instruction in the schools was brought before an audience that included many prominent workers in philanthropy and reform.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

January 18th, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m.

Present Messrs. Dwinell, Richards, Winnand Walling.

Received petition signed by J. L. Parker and 97 others asking for a police patrolman for the northern section of the town. It being so near the annual town meeting, the petition was laid over for the next board.

Voted that the warrant for the annual town meeting be closed on Feb. 15 next, at 8 p. m., and all articles for same must be in the hands of the Selectmen by that time.

Warrant drawn for $782.37.

Adjourned at 10.30 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

BRITISH CHARITY BALL.

Great interest is being manifested in the British Charity ball to be held in the new Intercolonial Club House, Boston, on Friday evening, February 19th, the entire club house being engaged for that occasion. The success of the ball is already assured by the active co-operation of all the British and colonial societies and clubs of Boston and vicinity.

The objects of the ball are to raise funds to be dispensed through the agency of the British Charitable Society and its woman's auxiliary among worthy Britishers who become destitute in Boston, and also especially to promote social intercourse among the many thousands in Boston and vicinity of British birth or connection.

The British Charitable Society is now in the 93d year of its existence, and is one of the oldest charitable organizations in America. Its membership is composed of natives of the British empire throughout the world and their immediate descendants, and American citizens of British origin are equally welcomed and urged to become members. The aggregate membership of all the societies and clubs interested numbers fully 8000.

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OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The following letter written by John S. Hodgson of Winchester appeared in the Boston Herald, Jan. 11:

"Mr. James Keir Hardie, M. P., is reported as saying shortly after landing in New York on the previous day, to the effect that the British government had appropriated £7,500,000 for the purposes of the old age pensions scheme which came into effect Jan. 1.

"So far from this being the case, the fact is that the budget laid before the House of Commons May 7, 1908, made provision in this respect only for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year ending March 31, 1909, amounting to £1,200,000 plus £40,000 to be paid to local authorities in connection with the scheme. It is well known that the amount required for the year 1909-10 originally estimated at £6,000,000 forms part of the deficit, estimated at from £18,000,000 to £20,000,000, for which the chancellor of the exchequer will have to provide new taxation. It should be stated that while there has been a general concensus of English opinion in favor of a state pension scheme, the non-provision of funds for its operation is certainly not the least of the grave objections applying to the measure now referred to."

Meantime, while predictions continue to be heard of enormous burdens to be imposed by the compulsory non-contributing system of old age pensions which Great Britian has adopted, the Massachusetts plan of voluntary old age pensions is appealing to larger and larger groups of thrifty wage earners. The savings banks which have taken advantage of the insurance privileges offered under the act of 1907 are finding that the provision for old age annuities is an especially valuable feature, since it gives every citizen a chance to provide his own old age pension at actual cost. Such success is being achieved in various industrial centres with this savings bank insurance scheme that its general adoption by a majority of the savings banks of the Commonwealth is held to be only a question of time.

"THE WHITE CHRIST" WORRIES BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

The agitation through which Germany has so recently passed (due to indiscreet "interviews" which have been handed out with such liberality by an equally indiscreet Emperor) has had the effect of rendering European governments generally unduly sensitive, and though it is not anticipated that other monarchs will give utterance to remarks which would reflect back upon them or their governments, the same cannot be said of individuals equally prominent, perhaps, though more distinctly removed from the "light that beats upon the throne."

A certain celebrated author and dramatist is just now causing the British Government some trepidation due to his having commenced the publication of a long story dealing with affairs more particularly connected with British Administration in the East. This man of letters, whose reputation as a writer is world-wide, is Mr. Hall Caine, whose new novel, under title of "The White Christ" (in England, "The White Prophet") is now appearing serially in The Strand Magazine.

Shortly before the commencement of the serial a rumor became current in social and diplomatic circles that the new story would not only deal with Khartoun affairs, but that the "White Prophet" or "White Christ" was none other than the martyred Gordon himself. This, however, both publisher and author have since denied, though it is a curious fact that the name of the principal character in the story is "Gordon" Lord. Mr. Hall Caine is now in Assouan, Egypt, writing the concluding chapters of "The White Christ."

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LINCOLN MEMORIAL.

Congressman McCall has drafted the bill for the proposed Lincoln memorial to be erected in Washington. The bill, which contemplates the spending of $5,000,000, has the approval of the leaders of both houses of congress, and it is planned to have the President sign it on Lincoln's birthday, February 12.

It is proposed to locate the memorial, which of itself will cost $1,000,000 in the centre of a large park space between the Capitol and the new Union station. Before the provisions of the bill can be met, however, it will be necessary to buy about 36 acres of ground. The bill carries $3,250,000 as the purchase price of this land, which will be added to the present Capitol grounds.

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How many of the people of Middlesex County know about the internal management of the business of this the largest county in the State. Once a year, the information is given out that the tax assessment will be so and so. Aside from this the affairs are as a sealed book. Of course if one cares to he can go to Cambridge once a year and procure a copy of the report of the Commissioners' and the Treasurer. It is the closest corporation in this State, and less is known about it than was the case of the Standard Oil Company ten years ago. Publicity is greatly desired by the people and it should be furnished in some form. A great sum of money is annually spent, yet but few persons know what for.

Bad Sidewalks.

For the safety and convenience of all the inhabitants there should be some suitable regulation for the care of snow and ice on the sidewalks in the thickly settled parts of the town other than what is done by the snow plows. Winchester has passed the country village stage and while the town has the best of modern conveniences, the neglect of sidewalks in winter is not creditable. The few storekeepers in the centre of the town are obliged by law to keep their sidewalks clear of snow and ice, and yet outside of this small circle no attention is paid to them other than what the plows accomplish. The town itself is one of the principal offenders in the care of the sidewalks and approaches to the Town Hall building. On prominent thoroughfares pedestrians are obliged to take to the street for safety. There should be some regulation whereby abuttors should assist in keeping the sidewalks safe.

A Matter That Requires Pushing.

As the grade Crossing Commissioners appear to be in no hurry in settling the question of abolishing the grade crossing in the centre of the town, the citizens should force the matter one way or another. It is little short of an outrage the way this question has been allowed to drag along. For about three years the Commissioners have had it under consideration, and yet they have not even stated whether it is of public necessity and convenience or not. Considering that there is so much of this work to be done throughout the State, there should be a permanent commission appointed by the Governor, free from all alliances, political or otherwise, and composed of able men who are not dependent on the fees per meeting held.

Urgent improvements in the centre of the town are held up, pending a decision of the matter, that are a serious drawback to the progress of the town. Aside from what is contemplated by the town and private interests, a new bank building is held up, the directors, it is understood, being anxious to have a suitable and handsome home.

If necessary a special town meeting should be called to hasten the matter, for if this is not done it is feared many years may elapse before any real work is done. The hearings came to a close some months ago, and at that time some persons were optimistic enough to think that the long desired changes would be speedily made.

Want the Most Capable Men.

The STAR desires to call the attention of the citizens to the fact that of the five members of the Board of Selectmen, three will decline a re-election—Messrs. Dwinell, Richards and Barnard. In view of this, it is none too soon to make selections of capable men to fill these positions before the caucus is held, some three weeks hence.

The STAR would be pleased to give publicity to any names sent in. These offices demand the services of the most capable men in Winchester, and we sincerely trust that men of this class will not refuse to serve if called upon.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Miss Annie S. Peck, the New England woman renowned as a mountain climber, will lecture in the Town Hall, Monday evening, January 25, at 8 o'clock. Her last great feat, climbing the Huascaran, more than 23,000 feet high, was said to be the highest mountain in the western world, has called forth expressions of wonder and praise from all over the world. Miss Peck is not a large or muscular woman. She is tall but slight. She is possessed of unconquerable courage and never gives up what she once undertakes to do. The story of her experiences is full of interest and is profusely illustrated by stereopticon pictures which were taken during the ascent. Miss Peck has a pleasant voice and reassuring manner which has never been spoiled by the glory of her achievements. Admission 50c. Club members must present membership tickets at the door. Attention is called to the change of time of this meeting—it will be at 8 p. m. instead of 3 p. m. as usual.

RANNEY OF "THE BOWERY."

A very interesting service will be held at the Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, when David J. Ranney, a one-time crook, but now Chinatown's midnight missionary in New York City, who handles 400 men nightly at his mission, will speak on "Saved from a Life of Crookedness and Crime." For 16 years he has now been doing Christian work on "The Bowery." He is a very unique character and will give a stirring address.

Mr. H. Robert Audet, a baritone of Boston, will sing. All are invited.

SCHOOL NOTES.

At a meeting of the athletic association on Tuesday, the secretary's report of the meetings during the last month was accepted. Charles Thompson was approved by the association as manager of the track team.

Wednesday morning, Mr. Joshua Phippen gave his second pianoforte recital in the Assembly Hall of the High School. There was a large audience and it was greatly enjoyed by all.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

The Baptismal service is announced for Sunday evening January 31, at 4.15.

The Bishop has announced as the date of his visit to this parish Friday afternoon, March 26th at the 5 o'clock service.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Edward Hevey desires to herewith express his thanks to the many friends for their expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness during our recent bereavement.

Diaries, Old Farmer's Almanacs and Line-a-Day books. Wilson the Stationer.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. F. G. Gray went Monday to Chicago to visit her mother for several weeks. Mr. Gray has gone on an extended business trip to Dubuque, Iowa.

Dr. Hammond's house narrowly escaped a serious fire Tuesday morning. In some manner a curtain caught fire and it spread to the furniture and woodwork of the kitchen. The Doctor succeeded after some pretty strenuous work in extinguishing it without calling on the fire department.

Mr. N. H. Taylor, after being confined to the house ten days with an attack of grip, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ogden are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. Last Saturday was the birthday.

Switches made from combing $1.00 to $1.50 at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9, Post Office Bldg., Woburn, Mass.

Mrs. Richardson of Glengarry is very ill.

Mrs. Alfred Higgins entertained the Guild Tuesday. Mrs. Sache read a very pretty poem composed by herself, entitled "The Women of the Epiphany" and Mrs. Ely gave several piano solos. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. John Challis and Mrs. Anthony Kelley.

Cong. and Mrs. S. W. McCall are in Washington. Mr. Hal. McCall is with them and occupies the position of private secretary to his father.

Master Richard Higgins is convalescing from a severe attack of the grip.

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Mr. C. H. Moseley attended the dinner given by the Boston Leather Association at Hotel Somerset, Tuesday evening.

Miss Genevieve G. Driscoll of Harvard street, Dorchester, was married Tuesday night at St. Leo's church to Arthur H. Dorsey of this town, Rev. John J. Cronin officiating. Miss Pauline H. Driscoll, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss Anna M. Millar was bridesmaid. Frederick J. Driscoll, brother of the bride, was best man.

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New magazines are out at Wilson the Stationer's.

During the last week, solicitations have been made in Winchester for money to aid the Shepherd Mission in Lowell. The Secretary of the Charity Council wrote to a responsible gentleman of that city to inquire about the Mission, who replied, that he could not give it a strong endorsement, moreover being a Lowell institution it should be taken care of by the people of Lowell. There are so many well conducted charities known to us, that we should be cautious in giving to strangers.

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METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Last Thursday afternoon, the Ladies' Aid held their annual election of officers. The following is a list of those elected: President, Mrs. E. A. Roby; Vice-President, Mrs. R. M. Armstrong; Sec. Mrs. Sherared Clay. Treasurer, Mrs. E. L. Dunning. Directors, Mrs. Robert Dover, Mrs. H. Leslie Platt, Mrs. James Johnson, Mrs. Herbert Cooke, Mrs. Thomas Bulmer, Mrs. T. W. Hartley.

After the regular business was transacted, Mrs. R. M. Armstrong stepped forward and presented Mrs. Wm. F. Fitch with a gold pin in the center of which was a pearl. This was a token of appreciation of her service for twenty-five years, as treasurer of the "Ladies Aid Society." None have rendered more faithful service and few have served longer in any office in the church.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference was held last Friday evening, in the vestry. Dr. Charles F. Rice presided. This is the most important business business meeting of the church in the year, as the subject of the pastor for another year is discussed, and the finances are given special attention. Also reports from the societies are read. Reports showed all departments in good condition. It was unanimously voted to ask the bishop to return Rev. John R. Chaffee to the church for another year.

The Wrong Girl.

After a whole year of married bliss a young man named Hahn, living at Volosca, Dalmatia, discovered that he had not married the girl he intended. When he proposed to her he mistook her for her twin sister, who so resembles her that they can scarcely be distinguished, and he did not realize his error until he began calling her by her Christian name instead of by the terms of endearment he had hitherto used.

OBSERVATIONS.

The State tax was 33 per cent higher in 1908 than in 1907, and now 'tis said it will not only not be reduced this year, but very likely will be higher. The G. O. P. had better look out, as this is an off year, with only state matters to be considered in next fall's elections. Extravagance seems to be the watchword at the State house.

The Wakefield municipal electric lighting plant, needing about $70,000 to put it into up to date condition, leading citizens have introduced a bill into the legislature to permit the town to purchase current from other companies, as the town does not feel able to furnish the money to improve its plant. They say the gas part of the plant pays it's way.

As the time for mentioning candidates for town offices has arrived, I will name two good ones for Selectmen—Charles E. Corey and Arthur W. Hale.

I understand there is so much money in the overlay that the Assessors are really ashamed of it. They need not worry a bit, for there are plenty of hungry departments all ready to eat it up. Remember we have been feeding light for several years and now have a great appetite on for expensive improvements. The Ap. Com. must be on its guard this year especially.

The new clerical assistant for the town house offices found taxes enough by going through the tax commissioners books at the State house to more than pay her salary for the year. Put her on the Board of Assessors.

A good authority estimates that the houses built in Winchester in '08 and '09 with the attendant increase in the value of land will add a half million of dollars to our this year's valuation. That would carry us up over twelve millions. Still we pay the Assessors only $300.

How many commissions are we waiting to hear from at the present time? Grade crossing, Electric Light, Railroad, on fare between Winthrop and Medford Squares, Metropolitan Park, on finishing Manchester Field. Any more? To say nothing about several town committees.

The Board of Health should ask authority, if it thinks it needs to, and look into the question of establishment of a year around public bath house. Why do not some of our numerous societies take hold of such things? This one is certainly much needed. The W. I. A. might—but—but—but.

HOCKEY.

ARLINGTON 5 to 3.

The Arlington High school hockey team defeated the Winchester High school team last Saturday afternoon on Spy Pond, Arlington, by the score of 5 to 3. Arlington scored three goals before the Winchester players got going and it was an uphill fight from that time on for Winchester. The game was roughly played by both teams and during the second half Chick was struck over the eye and forced to retire. Scannell played a good game for Arlington while Tuck and Small showed up well for Winchester.

The lineup:

ARLINGTON.		WINCHESTER.
Murray	f	Collins
Scannell	f	Hurd
Hill	f	L. Small
Chick (Smart)	f	Tuck
Buckley	c p	Cameron
Pierce	p	Sharon
Munch Higgins	g	N. Small

Score: Arlington 5, Winchester 3. Goals: Hill 2, Scannell 2, Murray, Small, Tuck, 2. Referee, Smith. Umpires, Nieley & Blanchard. Timer, Marshall. Time, 15 minute halves.

BRITISH PRINCES.

Very Different From the King In Exemption From Laws.

So privileged is the king of England in his exemption from any and every law that one would naturally expect his children might do pretty much as they like. But Englishmen have always been very jealous of royal personages, and the fact is that princes enjoy very few privileges indeed. A prince of the royal blood may be fined, like any ordinary mortal, if his motor car exceeds the legal limit of speed.

The Prince of Wales cannot be sued personally for debt. If the debt is not paid the creditor may take out a summons, but he must summon the treasurer, not the prince. If the case goes against the treasurer the money is paid out of the prince's assets.

No child of the king who is under twenty-five can marry without the king's consent. Supposing, however, a prince over twenty-five desired to marry and the king refused his consent, then the prince could give notice of his intention to the privy council. After that he would have to restrain his patience for a whole year. If during that time either the house of lords or the house of commons disapproved of the marriage it could not take place. But if both houses of parliament were satisfied the prince could marry the woman of his choice.

A prince has not even the right to educate his own children, for it was long ago laid down that the king has the care and education of his grandchildren while they are minors.—London Telegraph.

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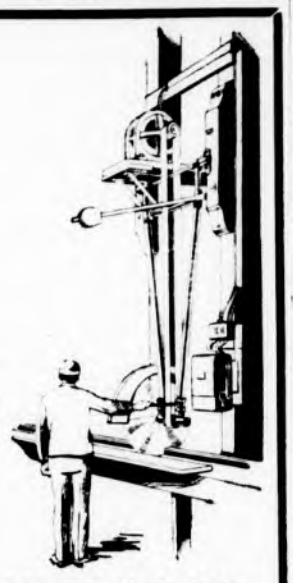

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BASKET BALL.

Winchester defeated Technology 1912 in the High School Gymnasium last Friday night by the score of 43 to 8. The game was very fast the first half, and rather rough throughout. Although the score appears to be pretty one-sided, it was a very interesting game to watch. Winchester started the game by very fast playing and scored in a very short time, and gained a good lead on their opponents. Some fine passing was done in the first half by the home team which had the visitors guessing most of the time. The home team showed that they had been on the floor longer than the Tech team by their playing, which helped them out considerably. Collins played a fine game caging the ball eight times while Dover was right their all the time and got seven to his credit. Eicher played a hard game and was very prominent most of the evening.

Friday, the 22nd, the home team plays the strong Melrose High School team which has had a fine record so far this season—one of the greatest games of the schedule, guaranteed to be close and exciting. Don't forget to come and root.

The lineup:

WINCHESTER		TECH 1912
Cameron	rf	Kelley
Collins	lf	Eicher
Dover	c	Scanlon
Thompson	rg	Stone
Sharon (Hamilton)	lg	Kennedy

Score: Winchester 43, Tech 1912, 8. Goals from floor made by Collins 8, Cameron 2, Dover 7, Thompson 4, Sharon, Stone, Kelley 2. Goals from free tries, Sharon, Kelley, Stone. Referee, Mobbs. Timer, Neily. Time 15 and 20 minute halves.

The High School second team added another game to its unbroken string of victories by defeating the Tech 1912 2nd team by the score of 33-10. Tuck and Hamilton played a good game for the school team.

WINCHESTER 52—READING 12.

Winchester defeated Reading at Reading Wednesday afternoon by the score of 52 to 12. The Reading team wasn't in it for a minute with their opponents and the game was more or less uninteresting. In the middle of the first half Sharon hurt his hip and retired in favor of Hamilton, who put up a good game. Sharon's injury is not serious and he will be all right for the Melrose game Friday. Dover was high man on the scoring and succeeded in getting ten baskets.

The line-up:

WINCHESTER		READING
Cameron (Tuck)	rf	Nichols
Collins	lf	Trenholm
Dover	c	Eames
Thompson	rg	Machilin
Sharon (Hamilton)	lg	Smith

Score, Winchester 52, Reading 12. Goals from floor, Dover 10, Collins 5, Cameron 5, Thompson 2, Sharon 2, Nichols 3, Trenholm. Goals from free tries, Thompson 2, Collins, Sharon, Eames 3, Trenholm. Referee, Mobbs. Timer, Neily. Time, fifteen and twenty minute periods.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

The most important vaudeville announcement comes from Keith's Theatre this week, the return of McIntyre and Heath, after a number of years starring in "The Ham Tree." Before they went on the legitimate stage the annual visits of McIntyre and Heath to Keith's Theatre were of the same nature as the return of "The Old Homestead," or "Way Down East." Thousands of people have seen the "Georgia Minstrels" innumerable times and will continue to see them as long as they are on the stage. After an absence of several years this week will certainly be an eventful one at Keith's. On it will be Mr. Hymack, who is held over from last week, with his remarkable lightning changes of wearing apparel.

Then there will be Claude and Fannie Usher in their bright sketch, "Fagin's Decision," which introduces his Majesty, Spare Bones Ribs. J. J. McCloskey, the great American tenor, is also on the bill. Others are Jimmie Lucas, the comedian; Wilbur Mack Co. in a sketch; the Wheelers; the Damm Brothers, the 3 DuBall Brothers and others equally well known.

Ignorant, but Careful.

"Ignorance nearly always makes fools of us," said a lecturer. "I remember a man, ignorant of etiquette, who once sat beside me at a public dinner. I noticed that this man, as soon as he was seated took up one by one the knives at the right of his plate and began to try their edges on his thumb. A waiter behind him leaned forward and said in a hurt tone:

"'The knives are all sharp, sir.'

"'The point is,' said my neighbor. 'I'm looking for a blunt one. Last time I attended a banquet here I cut my mouth.'"

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Theme—"A Second Gateway to the Christian Life." Anthem—"Hear O Lord," Watson; "I Cried unto the Lord," Fray.

12.0 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Lame Man Healed." Acts 3: 1-26. All are welcome.

4.30 p. m. Eventide Service in the main auditorium with printed order of service, hymns and responses. Miss Ogilvie will sing, "Jesus, Lover of my Soul," by MacDougall; "The Lord is my Shepherd," by Barschmid. All seats free. Everybody welcome. No collection at this service.

6 p. m. Union Young People's service of the Epworth League, Baptist Union and our own Society of Christian Endeavor at the Methodist Church. Subject—"Light that cannot be hidden." Matt. 3: 17; 17: 5; 16: 16; Mark 5: 7; 14: 61; 15: 39.

Tuesday, 3.0 p. m. The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Murdock 387 Main street. Study Subject.—"The Pioneer Missionaries to the Moslems." Brief sketches by Mrs. J. F. Ryan, Miss Elsie Enman, and Mrs. A. F. Blaisdell. Miss Fannie E. Burrage will speak on her work among the women and girls in Caesarea, Turkey.

Wednesday, 4.00 p. m. The Minister's Class of boys and girls will meet in the small vestry. Prepare Lesson one and the first two questions of lesson two. Be prompt and regular in attendance. The parents will please co-operate.

7.45 p. m. Regular mid-week meeting for prayer, conference and fellowship. Topic—"The Beginnings of the Faith." Acts 2: 1-47.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Truth."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service, with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "Personality."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. E. Arthur Tutein.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Beatrice Tuck. Address by Dr. Robert C. Metcalf.

Thursday, 3 p. m. Ladies' Friendly Society. Sewing Meeting.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor. Theme, "The Book of Acts—Christianity's Epic."

12.00 p. m. Bible School, with Primary Department and "Cornerstone Class." Mr. John McLean, superintendent.

5.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting, to be addressed by Mr. David J. Ranney, a converted man from "The Bowery" in New York, formerly connected with the Jerry McAuley Mission.

6.15 p. m. Evening worship with a brief sermon by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week Prayer and conference meeting. All cordially invited to attend.

Friday evening. Supper given by the men of the congregation, in aid of the church work.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon—"Needed: A New Version of Sin." Seats free. Welcome.

12.00 m. Bible School. Arthur P. Briggs, Supt. Subject, "The Lame Man Healed." Acts 3: 1-16. Classes for all. Welcome.

12 m. Noon Conference for business men. Miss Carrie E. Small of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, Boston, will speak on "Women in Industry." Miss Small is an expert on this topic. All men invited.

6.00 p. m. Union Young People's Meeting in the Methodist Church.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Gospel address by David J. Ranney of "The Bowery," New York, who will speak on, "Saved from a Life of Crookedness and Crime." Baritone solo by H. Robert Audet, of Boston.

Tuesday evening B. Y. P. U. sleigh-ride.

Wednesday 7.45. Prayer Meeting. Covenant meeting.

Wednesday, 9.05 p. m. Lesson Worker's Conference, conducted by the Rev. Arthur W. Smith.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "The Multiplying Life." The Coaltette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Lame Man Healed."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic, "Light that cannot be Hidden."

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon by the Pastor. Topic, "How to Keep Others from the Kingdom."

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Class Meeting.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Third Sunday after the Epiphany.

10.45 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

EATING TOO MUCH.

Overnutrition Is Just as Harmful as Malnutrition.

It is an acknowledged fact that almost every soul of us eats too much. The digestive organs are constantly overtrained and finally weakened. When wisely followed, the practice of fasting can be most beneficial. An expert on the food question has said that one should rise from the table with the feeling of hunger, which is an experience known to very few of us. On the contrary, the majority of people leave the board with a sense of burden which only an hour's siesta can alleviate. This is not so much owing to the fact that the food is uncommonly rich, for the rule of the simple life obtains now in the fashionable cuisine, but it is the quantity taken. There is a large community at the present moment which fasts from breakfast time till dinner at night. It is a question if it is wise to leave the stomach entirely without food during all those hours, but there is no question that the lighter the lunch taken the better will be the health of the individual. By a "light lunch" in this instance is meant what most people would not call a lunch at all—that is to say, a few crackers with cheese (a much maligned article of diet), a few nuts and a bit of fruit or a cup of cocoa with dry toast. Such a "feast" prevents the craving for food and in no way taxes the digestive organs. Overnutrition is just as harmful as malnutrition and is far more frequently the cause of maladies. With judicious fasting the system recovers its lost tone, and mental workers would find that the brain worked with surprising lightness, for the brain is one of the chief sufferers from overeating.—New York American.

The New York Idea.

"Little boy."

"Huh?"

"Do you know where Broadway is?"

"Say, wot youse take me fer?"

"Well, where is it?"

"Aw, don't youse believe I know?"

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1809—The Lincoln Centenary—1909

"Little Farm That Raised a Man"

Memorial Museum Marks the Kentucky Birthplace of the Martyr President. The Old Log Cabin Restored

By James A. Edgerton

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THE little rocky farm that Thomas Lincoln was too poor to pay for has now become the property of the lovers of his son. When the new arrival reached the Lincoln cabin on Feb. 12, 1809, the last dream that could have entered the mind of the father was one comprehending the glory that had thus come to these barren acres. What said the prawn say when the Mover moves it, or what can it know of the result of the move? Most parents think their sons may become president, except those whose sons actually do become president. They are frequently so poor they think little about it. The wind bloweth where it listeth, and a soul that comes into the world is blown by the wind of the spirit to what heights or depths it may please him who sends the wind. As for the rest of us, we cannot foresee one single human destiny, and it is just as well that we cannot. When we print an acorn we know an oak will grow, and when we sow corn or wheat we can foretell what the crop will be. But when a man-child enters the world we know naught of the harvest, whether it is to be of shame or of glory. There are no signs to tell of the coming of genius. The deity that presides at the birth of great souls may miss all the homes of wealth and culture to light at a stable or a cabin in the wilderness. The wind bloweth where it listeth, and none can tell where the spirit will carry the germs of God's purposes.

Lincoln was born on the very outer rim of civilization, yet the spot is now near the center of population of the United States. That shows how far each century goes ahead to pitch its tents; 1809 stopped with Kentucky, and 1909 has moved on to Manila; 2009 may go around the world and come back to Kentucky again. Who knows?

There is little to that Kentucky farm except the fact that Lincoln was born there. It is not much for crops or scenery. There is a rock spring on it and a rock. The muse of history has very little eye either for fertile soil or landscape effects. Battles are usually fought among most uninviting surroundings, and the immortals are liable to be born almost anywhere except where we would expect them to be born. If we were choosing a spot for one of the great ones to come into the world we would seek all the modern conveniences and a combination of seashore and mountain to furnish inspiration. That merely proves that we know how to raise crops and blooded stock, but we do not know how to raise great men. This is a branch of gardening that God does not leave to bangers. Hot-house methods may be all right for growing plants, but they are a failure for growing men.

The preservation of this shrine to the memory of Lincoln was made possible by the generosity of Robert J. Collier of Collier's Weekly. There were several enterprising gentlemen who desired possession of the farm for advertising purposes, and had it not been for Mr. Collier one of them probably would have succeeded in his shameless design. Among the bidders was a liquor firm that had already prepared posters announcing "Lincoln Birthplace Whisky." The agents of this firm imbibed too freely of their own wares, which permitted Mr. Collier's representative to steal a march on them and bid in the place before they arrived on the scene, for it is a sad and humiliating fact that the farm on which our greatest president was born was allowed to be sold for taxes. This, coupled with the further reflection that but for the interest and patriotism shown by one man this priceless shrine would have been used for selfish and base purposes, should make the American people feel quite proud. When it was too late there would doubtless have been raised a great cry of indignation which would have increased in pitch as the centenary of Mr. Lincoln's birth approached. We are saved from this humiliation by the thoughtfulness of one man—rather of two, for Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones had advocated buying the shrine before Mr. Collier took the matter up. Two men out of over 80,000,000! It is so God finds his agents, even though men are blind.

The birthplace farm is not the only Lincoln shrine saved from a degrading use. The old log building at New Salem in which Lincoln lived and had his store, together with the ground on which the historic village stood, was purchased by Mr. William Randolph Hearst and made a present to the Old Salem Chautauqua, the second largest Chautauqua in America. A whisky firm was also bidding for this to advertise some of its wares. It would seem that the whisky men appreciate the great liberator, whatever may be said for the rest of us.

It is a romantic fact that the only building left of the New Salem in which Mr. Lincoln spent his young manhood is that which he himself occupied. All the rest of the town has disappeared like a dream village, as though with his departure it had performed its function and gone back to the elements, leaving only his cabin as a memento.

At the time Mr. Collier bought "the little farm that raised a man" the historic rock spring from which it took its name had degenerated into a hog wallow, while the cabin in which Lincoln was born had been taken north for show purposes and was housed in a long Island basement. This was rescued from the blight of commercialism, like the farm, and sent back from its wanderings to rest in honor in its own place. The journey to Kentucky was one of triumph. The little one room log cabin was escorted to its destination in greater state than most kings and conquerors. The railroads carried it free; the Wanamaker store in New York decorated the car; the governor of Kentucky detailed an officer and four militiamen to escort the old logs through with safety; Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia received it with honor; Baltimore, through which Lincoln had to pass in secret to keep from being assassinated, greeted the cabin that gave him birth with speeches of welcome; at Altoona the school children decked the car with flowers; at Pittsburg the Grand Army took it in charge; at Columbus the mayor and superintendent of schools made stirring addresses; at Indianapolis appropriate exercises were held, and at Louisville former Vice President Stevenson spoke for the state of Illinois and Henry Watterson for the state of Kentucky. One of the striking utterances of Colonel Watterson, who was introduced as "the greatest living student of the life of Lincoln," is worthy of reproduction. Of Lincoln the orator said:

He was inspired of God, for nowhere else could he have acquired that wisdom and virtue. Where did Shakespeare get his genius, Mozart his music? Who wrote the lyric of the Scotch peasant? As God raised up and inspired them, so did he Lincoln. When, a thousand years hence, the truth of history shall have left no room to doubt, no drama will be followed with deeper feeling than that which tells the story of his life and death. God laid his hands upon these rough hewn logs, and they brought forth a nation's hero.

Thus the plain Kentucky cabin, the humblest birthplace of a great soul since the manger of Nazareth, returned to its home to grace the centennial of that advent which had come to earth through its door. Both the farm and the house were turned over by Mr. Collier to an association headed by Joseph W. Folk of Missouri and having on its board of trustees such representative men and women as Henry Watterson, Cardinal Gibbons, William H. Taft, Ida M. Tarbell, Jenkin Lloyd Jones, Charles A. Towne, Mark Twain and Albert Shaw. The fund for the work was made a common people's offering, and tens of thousands of these became members and gave each his mite to honor the man who in his origin, words and constant attitude had so signally honored them.

On the farm the little cabin has been placed at the exact spot where it before stood and has been surrounded by a strong and simple edifice, in which it forms the sole exhibit. This building, with its Greek columns, stands upon a hill and is approached by a broad sweep of steps leading from a plaza, from which also descends the path to the old spring. The remainder of the farm has been left as before, even to a gnarled apple tree said to be the last of Tom Lincoln's orchard.

How fortunate it would be if with this revival of interest in the spot that gave Abraham Lincoln birth we could have a like revival of interest in his spirit, his ideals and his aims! He was not alone a man for one crisis, but for all. His fidelity to the public good, his refusal to permit private considerations to stand in the way of duty and principle, his tender solicitude for the poor and humble and his placing of man above wealth, of humanity above things and of popular rights above institutions, his faith in the masses, his devotion to the doctrine of equality and of the rule of the majority—all of these things are needed now and ever in the republic. What a splendid opportunity this centenary presents to study Lincoln's spirit, the innermost of the man that gives him his hold on the people of his age and all ages!

While associations are making beautiful memorials of the material spots that knew him and are arranging programs to act as the machinery of praise, the form and shell that carry the substance and life, why should not the millions of men and women who love Lincoln devote their leisure to a study of his life and utterances and an attempt to define the genius that animated them? Then why not crown all by a resolve to give to the affairs of the nation the same unselfish devotion, the same high regard for truth, the same love of the rights of man, the same spirit of righteousness, the same hatred of tyranny, fraud and sham and the same faith in God and the common people that he gave in such full measure, even to the sacrifice of life itself?

If this centenary, this dedication of the birthplace farm, this worldwide ceremony in his praise, could beget a spirit like that it would be of untold benefit to the nation and to the race. Could this people once truly comprehend Lincoln and follow the lines he marked out, they would make of this such a republic as has never been known in the files of time. We have never had a democracy as yet. We have never incarnated in a government the principles of the Golden Rule and the sermon on the mount. Lincoln bodied forth both of them. He was the genius of these divine utterances made flesh. Herein was his strength. This it was which made his utterances shine with the light of love, tempered his judgment with mercy and gave him such sweet humility in wielding his unequaled power. Democracy, the equality of man, have their origin in the spiritual. Men are not equal outwardly, but only in their fundamentals and in the innermost. God and nature treat all alike. Here is the model for human government, and it was on this model that Abraham Lincoln worked. His code of principles consisted in the doctrines of the Nazarene crystallized into politics. We need both them and him. We can have him only by looking through his words and acts to the soul beneath. To find that and give it forth universally to humanity would be a centenary worth while, would be of more help than all the birthplace farms, all the formal programs, all the panoply and trappings and state. Not that we underrate these outward things. They are necessary, but they are not precious in themselves, only for what they represent. It is the mighty, the majestic and the merciful spirit of Lincoln that gives them life. It is that which we honor and that which we need. Show it to mankind, body it forth in all its whiteness and beauty, and we shall lend a glory to the outward show which will make it an event to be remembered forever. Without this it will be hollow and meaningless. It is for us to meet the crises of our day with the same spirit in which Lincoln met the crisis of his day. Otherwise we are not worthy of him; otherwise all our praise becomes but so much lip service that insults rather than honors him.

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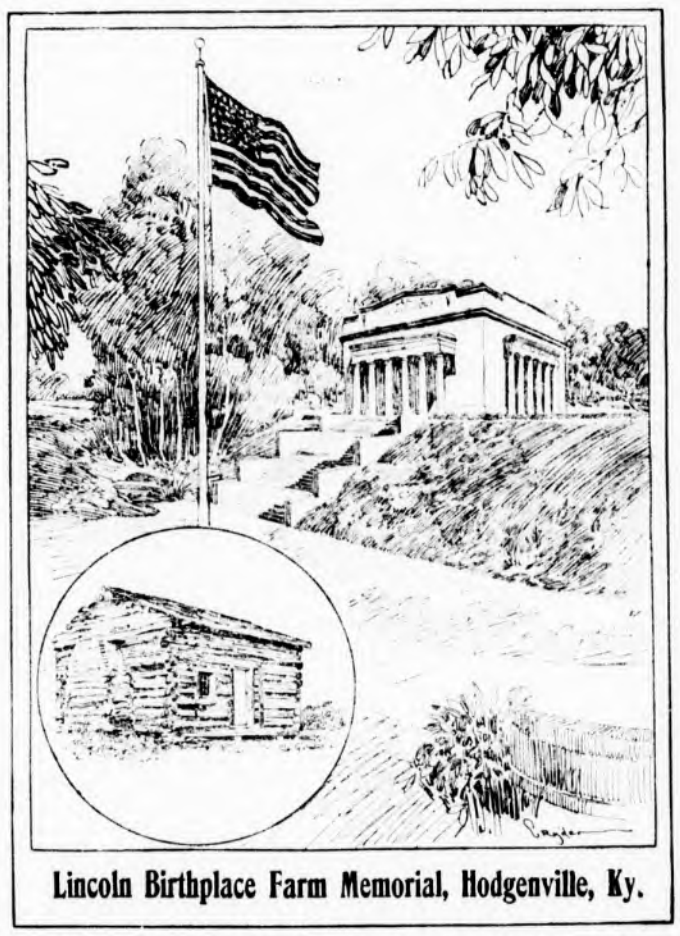

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Trains leave Winchester for Boston †6.02, †6.15, †6.27, †6.52, †7.05, §7.14, †7.21, †7.25, †7.35, †7.43, §7.49, †7.54, †8.12, †8.28, †8.38, §8.58, †9.02, §9.30, §9.55, †10.03, †10.05, †10.27, §11.08, †11.25, †11.53, A. M. §12.12, §12.43, †1.09, §2.07, ‡2.13, §3.10, †3.18, †3.23, §3.32, §4.13, †4.29, †4.53, †5.08, †5.33, †5.42, §5.44, §5.53, †5.57, †6.26, §6.54, §7.00, †7.07, §8.33, †8.33, §9.14, †9.33, †10.33, †10.53 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester Highlands for Boston †6.12, †7.02, †7.32, †7.56, †8.09, †8.35, §8.55, †v10.06, †11.51, A. M., §12.40, †1.02, †v3.20, §4.10, †4.50, †5.30, †6.23, §6.57, §8.30, †8.30, †10.50, P. M.

Trains leave Wedgemere for Boston †6.04, †6.17, †6.54, †7.07, †7.23, †7.37, †8.01, †8.14, †8.30, †8.40, §9.00, †9.04, §9.32, †10.10, †10.29, §11.10, †11.55, A. M., §12.14, §12.45, †1.11, §2.09, †3.25, §3.34, §4.15, †4.55, †5.35, §5.55, †6.28, §7.02, †7.09, §8.35, †8.35, §9.16, †9.35, †10.55 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Stoneham †7.30, †8.58, †10.28, §10.30, A. M., †12.01, †1.44, §2.00, †2.51, †4.09, †5.01, †5.48, §5.56, †6.20, †6.48, §6.56, †7.36, §9.53, †9.58, †11.48 P. M.

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Time Table.

Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes ur til 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

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Following are the evenings set apart by the town departments as regular times of meeting:

TOWN CLERK—Daily, 8.30 to 11.30 a. m., 2 to 4.30 p. m., and Saturday evenings from 6.45 to 7.45.

SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday after noons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days: 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners—Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
Park Commissioners—Preston Pond, Jere A Downs, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Mears, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
Sealer of Weights and Measures—William R McIntosh.
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All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LILLIE F. BUTLER, Admx.

(Address)
18 Hancock Street,
Winchester, Mass.
January 19th, 1909
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James F. Foley, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

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CARRIE FOLEY, Admx.

(Address)
15 Hill Street, Winchester
Winchester, January 15, 1909
22.28.15*

Legal Notices.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hande Pond, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Preston Pond and Clarence H. Pond who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, two of the executors therein named, the other having declined to accept the trust, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A. D., 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register
8.15.22
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Bradstreet late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alpinsia A. Bradstreet, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
an11 8.15.22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Frank H. Bowles, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur W. Newell who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
38 8.16.22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Samuel B White, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ALFRED S. HALL, Executor.
Winchester, Mass.
January 12, 1909
j15 15.22.29

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by John W. Crocker to the Winchester Savings Bank dated September 3, 1904, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, lib. 3122, fol. 127, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, will be sold at public auction upon the premises in Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts on

MONDAY, the first day of February, A.D. 1909, at three o'clock in the afternoon,

all and singular, the premises remaining subject to said mortgage, a portion of the premises originally covered thereby having been released by partial release dated April 23, 1906, recorded with said Deeds, lib. 3226, fol. 523, the premises remaining being the first parcel described therein as follows:

A parcel of land in said Winchester which was the homestead of the late Thaddeus Parker and is bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Cambridge street about seventeen (17) rods; Northerly by Pond street about fourteen (14) rods; Easterly by land now or formerly of Dana Fay about seventeen (17) rods; and Southerly by land now or late of Dana Fay about fourteen (14) rods.

The sale will be made subject to any outstanding taxes, tax titles, or municipal liens which may exist upon the premises.

A deposit of two hundred (200) dollars will be required of the purchaser, balance payable in ten days upon passing papers at the office of LITTLEFIELD & TILDEN, 26 Washington street, Boston.

WINCHESTER SAVINGS BANK,
By LEEN CALDWELL, Treasurer, Mortgagee.
Jan. 6, 1909.
38 8.15.22

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George M. Campbell to Frank L. Ferguson and Sumner B. Foster, trustees of the Winchester Associates, dated November 1, 1904, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 3187, page 429, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, the sixth day of February, 1909, at three o'clock in the afternoon,

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land situated in Winchester, bounded and described as follows:

[illegible]

MARY F. CLARKE,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

[illegible]

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26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
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32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37. Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Holland street.
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44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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New York, West and South—7.30 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Stinson, the pleasant and accommodating clerk in the Town Hall Building, has found $28,000 of taxible property at the State House enough to pay her salary for three years.

The Calumet club play, the "Isle of Bamboo," is requiring no little attention of those who are assuming the various parts, and their faithfulness will return a rich reward, not only to themselves, but also to those who will be fortunate enough to get seats in the town hall on Feb. 20. The rush for seats will prove a record beater.

The Second Congregational church will hold a "Dime Social," the third in a series of sociables to be given during the winter and spring, on Friday evening of this week at the residence of Mrs. Emerson on Cross street.

The many friends of Dr. Allen are pleased to see him on the streets again after an illness.

Winchester Clothes Cleansing Co., 626 Main street. Tel. 289 1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wadsworth Hight of Cambridge street are the happy parents of a son born this week.

The Woman's Missionary Soc. of the 2nd Congregational Church met at the residence of Mrs. Rice on Washington street, Friday afternoon Jan. 15th. The Mission study book, "The Nearer and Farther East" was discussed and interesting papers read by the ladies. A social half hour with refreshment followed.

Plans are under way to make the vesper service on Feb. 7 at The First Congregational Church commemorative of the one hundredth anniversary of Mendelssohn.

Mrs. Swett, Mrs. Joshua Coit, and Mrs. George Coit from the 1st Congregational Church and Mrs. Dwight and Mrs. Seagrave from the 2nd Congregational Church, were the officers of the Missionary "Auxiliaries" who represented Winchester at the Annual Meeting of the officers of the "Andover and Woburn Branch" at the residence of Mrs. Edward Y. Hincks at Andover, on Wednesday, Jan. 13th. The meeting was full of interest and after luncheon, Mrs. Harry Wade Hicks, who recently returned with her husband, from their tour through the Foreign Mission stations, gave an interesting talk illustrated with many beautiful lantern slides upon the noble and efficient work of the American Board Missionaries. The meeting was largely attended.

The annual meeting of the Society for the Entertainment of Shut-Ins will be held at the Central Congregational Church, Boston, on Friday, Jan. 29, at 3 p. m. Mrs. Frank B. Tracy is the secretary of the Society, and many Winchester people are interested in its work.

The Winchester Electrical Co., has equipped the Reading High school gymnasium with tungsten lamps, and it is now the best lighted hall in this section.

Scientific scalp treatment at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Building, Woburn, Mass. Tel. 322-3.

The Shakespeare Club met with Mrs. John Page on Bacon street Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar J. Young is one of the patronesses of the "Festival of Months" given for the benefit of the Morgan Memorial.

Mrs. Wallace Flanders has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Howes, from Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Ralph Hoagland of Sheffield road is contemplating a trip to Germany.

Mrs. Edson Young entertained the Tuesday Club at luncheon and bridge this week.

Just what you want, Covel's ice cream for your Sunday dinner.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The First Baptist Church is soon to lose its organist and Director, William F. Rutherford, who has accepted a business position in New York City. For five years he has presided at the organ with great acceptance, and his music has been of high standard, of most excellent quality, and deeply appreciated.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

The incorporators of the Woburn Charitable Association are hastening the work of getting the Choate Memorial Hospital which is to occupy the property on Warren avenue, recently given to the city for hospital purposes, in readiness for operation.

It is always a genuine pleasure to listen to the singing of Miss Jennie Trecartin of Woburn. She has a fine soprano voice, and her singing at the concert in the Town Hall last week was greatly enjoyed.

Boston has gone tunnel crazy, and apparently the more it has of them the greater the discomfort.

The Oxford associates have sold a lot containing 13,272 square feet, corner of Oxford street and Foxcroft road. H. S. Piper et al are the purchasers and will erect a high class dwelling. This will make every lot on Oxford street from Church to Foxcroft road occupied. Several houses are now in process of construction on the opposite side of the street.

The first big snow storm of the season set in early last Sunday morning.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Constance Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Parker, to Mr. Reeve Chipman, of Newton.

Mr. Duncan MacPhie and family have gone to Boston for the rest of the winter and have let their house to Mr. Wheatley, who comes here from out of town.

When you want the best in hard candies and pure ice cream just go to Covel's.

May White Tedford, reader and entertainer, will give private lessons in elocution and dramatic work. Call or address 6 Herrick street. j8-4t

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

Last Monday evening shortly after six o'clock a telephone message called the fire appartus to the residence of Mr. A. S. Higgins at the corner of Church and Central streets for a chimney fire. There was no damage.

Miss Bessie B. Brown is visiting at the home of Mr. George W. Blanchard for a few weeks.

Mrs. William P. Widowsky is visiting friends in New York.

The Wadleigh Shcool was opened to the parents of the pupils last Friday evening. About 200 attended and viewed samples of the work done since last September.

Owing to the popularity of the parents days in the public schools, it is proposed to hold two this year, the next one occurring during the second or third week in May.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. C. A. S. Dwight entertained the Do-Something Band of the Second Congregational Church at her home last Saturday afternoon at a Birthday Party of the Band. Twenty-one children attended and each child brought the number of pennies of its age. The children had a pleasant time with games and refreshments. They will sew for a while making little novelties, which will be sent to a school in Africa, to be used as rewards for learning the English language. The money contributed by the children is used to pay for their Missionary Magazine. The following children are members: Fannie Hiscock, Mildred and Hazel McGown, Beulah Chapin, Constance Park, Margaret Ray, Annie Belichon, Constance McIntosh, Jessie Dearborn, Ruth Metcalf, Ruth McElhiney, Catherine MacLellan, Flossie Smith, Helen McLane, Helen Bagge, Ogda Lindsburg, Irene Anderson, Helen Marshall, Arline Huber, Edith Foss, Martha Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tufts of Park avenue left Winchester this week for Dorchester Centre, where they will spend the next three months.

The regular meeting of the Calumet Club was held last Saturday evening. No business of importance was transacted save the appointing of the nominating committee by President Flanders. The gentlemen selected for the office were Messrs. John A. Caldwell, Charles A. Gleason, George A. Burgess, George E. Willey and Edgar M. Young.

Last Friday afternoon about fourteen tables of ladies enjoyed bridge whist at the Calumet Club, it being the regular ladies' afternoon. The prizes were won by Mrs. William E. Beggs, Mrs. Charles W. Kelley, Mrs. F. W. Reynolds, Mrs. Addison R. Pike and Mrs. Wells. The ladies received frappe glasses, a silver hat pin, silver slipper pin cushion, silver belt pin and a book. Following the cards lunch was served, Mrs. Roger Hurd and Mrs. William I. Palmer pouring. The committee in charge were Mrs. Wallace F. Flanders, Mrs. Harry J. Olmsted, Mrs. J. Churchill Hindes, Mrs. George W. Fitch and Mrs. Charles W. Kelley.

Puffs made from combings, 25 cents each, at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Bld. Tel. 322-3 Woburn, Mass.

Do you ever use sealing wax? All kinds and colors at Wilson the Stationer's.

Last Sunday evening at St. Mary's Church, about two hundred new members were formally received into the Holy Name Society. A very interesting sermon on the Holy Name was preached by their Spiritual Director, Rev. Walter J. Roche, followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Try Covel's home made candies.

Mrs. Lewis, pianoforte instructor, announces a series of pupils' musicales at four o'clock on the fourth Saturday of four months, beginning Jan. 23 in Woburn Unitarian Vestry. After pieces played by the younger pupils, Mr. Lewis will give a brief talk on some period of musical history, illustrated by selections from the great composers, played by advanced pupils and Mrs. or Mr. Lewis. Prospective pupils are advised to consult soon, by mail or personally. At home Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, at 1 Maxwell road, 2-5 p. m.

Mr. Wesley F. Ewell, well known as the sexton at the First Congregational Church, dropped a large piece of coal on the ankle bone of his foot last week, and although the accident caused him considerable pain he thought nothing of it. On Saturday he slipped on the ice and tore the ligaments from the bone and he is now laid up with a very bad injury.

Among the many novelties to be exhibited at the coming Motor Boat & Engine Show to be held in Mechanics Building, Jan. 23-30, will be a non-sinkable Life Boat which will be among the displays of the Fore River Ship Building Co., who for the first time will have an exhibit at a Motor Boat & Engine Show. This life boat will be found a radical departure from anything yet invented for this service, and will greatly add to the efficiency of the life saving crews at stations where it is installed.

Town Clerk Carter issued two more hunter's licenses this week, one to Mr. Clarence E. Clemson and the other to Mr. George F. Purrington.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Mrs. Hodge observed their 10th wedding anniversary this week on Monday, and on the evening of that day were very pleasantly surprised by a number of their friends at their home.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Guy Messenger gave a sleigh ride party to fourteen of his young friends Monday afternoon. Miss Estes chaperoned the children, and Mrs. Messenger and Mrs. Grover were among the guests. The children who enjoyed the sleigh ride were: Guy Messenger, Eunice Grover, Ora Wingate, Estelle Davis, Gertrude May, Josephine Woods, Mildred Lee, Allen Wilde, Bryant Woods, Marjorie Braddock, Edward Lawson, George Hazeltine, Loring Gleason, Kenneth Park, Chesley Whitten.

A petition signed by many residents of the Highlands has been sent to the Selectmen asking that a police officer be specially assigned to that part of the town.

For sale—a fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and re-ironed. Price $60. Address 7 Washington street. j22,tf

New rails for the electric car tracks on Washington street are being carted to convenient points along the street, to be laid in the spring to replace the present light rails. At the same time the street will be rebuilt.

Mr. James Laughlin, our well known shoe merchant, will be a candidate for Selectman at Burlington.

Mrs. Abbie M. Nason announces the marriage of her daughter, Edith Louise, to Harold McGregor Tukesbury on Saturday, January the sixteenth.

Remember Covel for strictly pure ice cream.

WANTED—Four people with $500 each to join a syndicate with other Winchester men in the purchase of a piece of property. See what they can give you. Address E, Star office.

A family expense book is a good thing to have. You can get one at Wilson the Stationer's.

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DRESSMAKING
Dressmaker or seamstress will go out by the day or take work home. Mrs. Moore, 11 Cottage avenue, Winchester, Mass. jan15,2t

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Ladies,' misses,' boys' and infants' sweaters marked down.

Childrens' white wool vests and pants just half price.

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Ladies' $1 wool vests and pants for 50c.

Great mark-down in ladies' silk scarfs.

Ladies' black jersey leggings marked down

Children's and infants' jersey leggings and drawer leggings marked down.

One lot of infants' white and colored fur trimmed mittens for 10c.

Infants' night drawers only 15c.

All our toys, dolls, books and games are half price.

All our Christmas china, pincushions and novelties are half price to close.

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First cut Rib to roast,	17c lb	Short Legs,	15c lb
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Best Rump Steak,	30c lb	Rib Chops,	20c lb
Top of Round Steak,	23c lb	A good Lamb Chop,	15c lb
Sirloin Steak,	25c lb	Pieces for Stewing,	8c lb
Hamburger Steak,	10c lb		
Corned Beef Tongue,	12c lb		

PORK			
Fresh, Corned and Smoked Shoulders,	8c lb	Boiled Hams,	25c lb
Whole Hams,	12c lb	Bacon by the Strip,	15c lb
Sliced Ham,	18c lb	Pork Steak,	10c lb

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TO LET.
Tenement with four rooms for adults only Apply 670 Main Street, H. W. Folsom. d11,tf

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Fur Robes cheap. Three second hand fur robes in fine condition. Address 5 Fairmount St., Woburn j22-1t*

TO RENT.
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FOR SALE.
A fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and reironed. Price $60. Address 7 Washington street j22,tf

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No. 15 Harvard street, two tenement house in good repair, nine rooms and bath, two front doors, for sale at a big bargain. Small payment down, balance on very easy terms. G. EDWARD SMITH, 387 Washington St., Boston, 12 to 1. n20 tf

SLEIGH FOR SALE—$50.
French Cutter, nearly new, cost $125. Can be seen at Lakeside Stable, or owner talked with by telephone, Winchester 1194. 1t*j22

WANTED.
A second girl or woman for upstairs work, mending and sewing and some care of two children. Apply 176 Highland avenue. j22 1t

WANTED.
Girl for general housework in family of two. Apply to Mrs. Paine, 14 Webster St. j15-tf

LOST.
Lady's gun metal watch; lost Friday evening near centre or in Rangeley. Finder return to W. J. Brown, Central street and receive reward. jan22*

LOST.
Liberal reward and no questions asked. "Bat," a small dark brindle Boston Terrier, spayed bitch, white diamond on neck. Return to G. B. Smith, Everett Ave. 1t

FOUND.
A sum of money on Church street Wednesday Owner can have same by applying to Henry Nickerson, 92 Bacon street. jan22

WANTED.
Work around the house of any kind, such as cleaning carpets, rugs, cellars. Will also clean silver metal, gold or brass work. Best satisfaction guaranteed. Good references. Send postal or call at 31 Irving St. E. L. Campbell. I am also prepared to give those who desire a first class hair cut and shave. Call especially Wednesday and Friday evenings from 6 until 9. j15 2t

WANTED.
An experienced general maid in a family of four. Apply at 5 Warren street, Winchester. jan22

WANTED.
An experienced general housework girl, no washing; where another maid is employed, wages $6. Call evenings at 6 Stratford road. jan22

WANTED.
Two rooms (furnished or unfurnished) with board, in Winchester, by married couple, in convenient neighborhood; are willing to pay for first class accommodations and service. Address "B," Star office. 1t* j22

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WINTER BOWLING TOURNAMENT ENDS.

With a hotly contested game on Monday night between teams H and B, the winter bowling tournament at the Calumet Club was brought to a close. Although team I had captured the first prize early in the series, that of second place was hotly contested right up to the last, and Monday night's match resulted in a dead lock at the end of the third string, it being necessary to roll two more boxes to settle the supremacy.

In the individual prizes no less than three men are tied for the high single string with handicap, it standing at 143. These men are George W. Annin, Benj. F. Miner and D. Nelson Skillings, and they will roll for the prize in a special match this Saturday evening.

Following are the results:

Team winning the largest number of points. Team I: T. P. Wilson, capt.; S. E. Newman, H. Weed, G. W. Annin, R. D. A. Thompson. 42 won, 10 lost.

Team winning second largest number of points. Team H—G. S. Littlefield, capt.; B. F. Miner, G. B. Whitehorne, J. E. Livor, Rufus Clark.

Team making highest single string with handicap. Team F—D. N. Skillings, capt.; C. H. Hall, G. B. Davis, P. T. Bufford, E. A. Kelley. 496 plus 19-515.

Team making largest grand total pin fall with handicap. Team B—G. E. Willey, capt.; J. A. Caldwell, F. S. Richardson, E. P. Randlett, F. V. Wooster.

Individual highest three strings with handicap: John A. Caldwell. 340 plus 18-358.

Individual highest single string with handicap. Tie between George W. Annin, Benj. F. Miner and D. Nelson Skillings. 143. To be rolled off this Saturday evening.

Individual highest average with handicap: T. Price Wilson. 101 21-39 plus 8—109 21-39.

Individual largest grand total pin fall; Joseph E. Gendron. 3783—97 average.

TEAM STANDING

Team	Won	Lost	Percentage
I	42	10	807
*H	37	15	711
B	37	15	711
M	34	17	667
K	29	23	557
A	27	25	538
N	25	26	491
F	25	27	481
D	24	28	461
L	22	30	423
C	20	32	385
E	14	38	269
J	14	38	269
G	13	39	250

*Won roll off.

Other high totals with handicap were:

J. H. Gerlach	3997
J. A. Caldwell	3986
A. H. Russell	3976
G. W. Annin	3922
G. B. Lawrence	3917
W. S. Purrington	3891
G. S. Littlefield	3865
O. Kelley	3819
B. F. Miner	3815
E. W. Hatch	3795

MRS. LUCY E. A. KEBLER.

Mrs. Lucy E. A. Kebler widow of the late John Kebler of Cincinnati, aged 89 years, died at the residence of Mrs. Samuel H. Folsom, her neice, on Highland avenue, Sunday of heart failure. She was born in Hampton Falls, N. H., her parents being Jacob and Catharine (Thayer) Abbott. For 50 year she led an honorable and useful life in Cincinnati, having made her residence with Mrs. Folsom for the past five years. She leaves nine sons. Like her nine brothers and sisters who grew to maturity, she was a noted example of what the ancient New England influences fostered in character and attainments under the discipline of inherited culture and wholesome poverty and frugality.

Funeral services were held at the Folsome residence on Monday afternoon at three o'clock, conducted by Rev. William I. Lawrance, pastor of the Unitarian Church. The remains were taken to Cincinnati for interment.

$158 LOST.

Last Monday an Italian woman living on Winchester street withdrew from the Winchester Savings Bank $158 in bills. The money was put in her bank book and the book in its envelope; this she put in the waist of her dress. When she arrived at her home the envelope containing the book and money was gone.

The police and neighbors have thoroughly searched the ground over which she travelled, but the money has not been found. The route taken by the woman was up Pleasant and Washington streets to Swanton, to Winchester. A reward is offered for its recovery.

P. W. SWAN DEAD.

Many of the older residents of the town were surprised to learn on Saturday of the death of Phineas W. Swan, which occurred at his home in Plymouth, Florida, on Jan. 17th. Mr. Swan was a resident of Winchester for many years, a well known character at town meetings. Chief of Police in [illegible] and prominently known among all of the older residents. He moved to Florida from here about five years ago.

The cause of Mr. Swan's death was heart failure. He had been in failing health for several weeks, and the end came peacefully while resting in his chair. He was 85 years of age. He leaves a wife and three sons, Fred, John and Edward.

The remains were brought to Winchester on Saturday last and quietly buried in the family lot in Wildwood cemetery.

EXCITING RUNAWAY.

On Wednesday afternoon shortly after four o'clock, a horse owned by Edw. J. Johnson of Highland avenue furnished the most exciting runaway the town has had for some months. The animal was attached to a sleigh and driven by James McCartney. When passing through the centre a runner of the sleigh caught in the electric car switch, throwing McCartney out and frightening the horse.

Narrowly missing running down several ladies and children, the animal ran between the crossing gates and the iron fence at the southerly end of the crossing striking both with the sleigh and down Common street to the station. The narrow entrance to the foot-path into Rangeley was safely made, and the route was through Rangeley to Central street, down that to Church, to Vine.

As the animal rounded the corner here the sleigh struck a tree, knocking the body from the runners. Coming out of Vine street to Main, the horse dashed toward the centre again, and but for the gatemen, would have been struck by a freight train on the crossing. Dashing around Knight's corner the animal again made the circuit of Vine street, this time going up Main street toward Woburn. In the evening it was caught on Carter street, that city, which is at the foot of Mt. Misery.

Considering the distance travelled, and the fact that the animal ran through the crowded centre no less than three times, it is marvelous that no one was injured. Beyond the damage to the sleigh no harm was done to either horse or driver.

SAMUEL V. MIDDLETON.

Samuel V. Middleton, aged 32 years, died at his home on Church street Tuesday evening very suddenly of intestinal indigestion. His death was a shock to many of the town's residents, among whom he was well known. He leaves a wife, Helen M., and one child.

Funeral services will be held this Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Second Baptist Church on Cross street, conducted by Rev. C. H. Johnson. Interment will be in Wildwood Cemetery.

A PROMINENT DEACON DEAD.

[Contributed.]

Deacon Samuel V. Middleton, a prominent colored man of Winchester, who died January 26th, was born in Summerville, S. C., aged 32 years. He came to Winchester in the Spring of 1902, was employed by Mr. George Adams Woods as coachman and a year later he was promoted to butler. In January, 1903, he attended a series of revival meetings conducted by Rev. C. H. Johnson, who had been recently settled here as pastor of the Second Baptist Church, and was converted, receiving baptism and joining the church. Two years later he married Miss Helen Dixon, a prominent young woman of this town. They lived happy together and made their home happy for their friends and strangers. During this time his faith in the Lord Jesus Christ made him a very prominent character in the church. These qualities developed and enlarged by the church, made him a Deacon and Treasurer. He has served faithfully and accurately in handling the church finances as never before. He was a sterling young man, loved by everybody who knew him.

His funeral will be held at the New Hope Baptist Church, Cross street, Friday, the 29th, at 2 p. m. Rev. C. H. Johnson will conduct the service.

BENEFIT CONCERT AND BALL.

The members of the Winchester Fire Department will give a concert and ball in the Town Hall on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 16th. The affair will be a benefit for Mrs. John Lydon, whose husband, a late member of the department, was killed by a live electric light wire several months ago.

From 8 until 9.30 a concert will be given by Martin's orchestra, including songs and moving pictures. Dancing will follow until 2. The tickets have been placed at $1 each and may be obtained of the members of the department.

Mrs. William I. Lawrance and daughter, Miss Mary, expect to sail on February 27th, for a tour of the Mediterranean countries. Miss Lawrance, who is in her senior year at Wellesley College, expects to re-enter that school a year later, and graduate with the class of 1910.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Up to the present time there is but one candidate to fill one of the three vacancies on the Board of Selectmen caused by the declination of Messrs. Dwinell, Richards and Barnard to longer serve. Mr. William C. Newell is the gentleman who would like to receive a caucus nomination. Mr. Newell in addition to having served the town as its auditor has also done important committee work. Of course it is to be regretted that Mr. Dwinell, the present Chairman of the Board, is to retire. As a gentleman free from the cares of private business he has practically given his entire time to the interests of Winchester, and his services have been of considerable value. He retires from office stronger than when he entered upon the duties three years ago.

For the School Board, the only names mentioned, so far as can be learned, are Messrs. Wingate, Currier and May. In this connection the STAR desires to say that it believes that good will result from the school agitation now being carried on.

The present incumbents of the other offices will no doubt succeed themselves.

FOR TOWN OFFICES.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Mr. Frank A. Cutting would be a good man to select for one of the Selectmen for the coming year.

Lawyer W. F. Prime would be a good man to select for the School Board for three years.

CITIZEN.

CREDIT FOR THE BAND.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

In last week's issue of the STAR I noticed the article headed "Winchester Brass Band" and the resignation of Mr. George Bigley as director, also the good work done by Mr. Bigley and hopes for the future.

As a member of that band I wish to ask the good will of the people of Winchester. Don't lose hopes of a good band in town and give us a chance. The band as a whole are sorry to lose Mr. Bigley and realize what work he has done for the band.

But Mr. Editor, there were twenty-five others in that band, and every man did his best. They are all entitled to a little credit.

To show you that we mean business, we had a new director last Thursday evening, Mr. Davis, who has been in the band business for some years and comes to us very highly recommended and certainly the members were very much pleased with him. We will be ready very soon to repeat our success at the Town Hall, also we will be ready for all band business as soon as you want us. We want the work for May 30th and the Fourth of July. Hoping we will come up to the mark and that the people wish to help our home talent, provided it stands on a par with that of other towns, I am,

Respectfully Yours

A MEMBER.

IN HONOR OF MENDELSSOHN.

In recognition of the centennial of the birth of Mendelssohn, which occurs on February 3rd, the music at the Unitarian Church, next Sunday will all be from the works of that composer, including the hymns. The musical order will be as follows:

Organ a Andante Religioso, Op. 65
b Nocturne
c Song without Words
Anthem I waited for the Lord — Lobegesang
Anthem How Lovely are the Messengers. — St. Paul
Anthem If with all your Heart — Elijah
Bass Solo O God have Mercy — St. Paul
Hymns, 25, 230.
Organ Priest's March Athalie

PUBLIC OBSERVANCE OF LINCOLN DAY.

Selectman Dwinell, chairman of the board, is making preparations for a public observance of Lincoln Day. The announcement of the program and speakers will be made next week. It is planned to have the exercises in the town hall, with an address by a prominent man and singing by the school children. The date of the occasion is Feb. 12th.

PHYSICIANS CONSIDER HOSPITAL.

In response to a list of questions sent to the physicians of the town by Mr. Lewis Parkhurst of the Winchester Hospital directorate, a meeting of the doctors was held last Saturday evening. Every physician of the town was present—fourteen in all—Dr. Clarence J. Allen being elected chairman of the meeting.

The matter of size, material for construction and location was considered by the meeting, and although no statement is ready for publication, a list of the best locations was made and other important matters decided from the doctors' point of view. The report of this meeting is now in the hands of the directors, and no further action is reported to date.

WHAT A MOTHER DESIRES IN THE SCHOOLS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I am a taxpayer and a mother, and have one child, ten years old, in school here. My income is not large enough to permit me to have a domestic, and as I am not strong, much of the care of the home must fall on my daughter in a few years. I wish she might learn more that is practical at school. She knows very little about sewing and it is very difficult to teach or interest her at home, while in a class she would be interested and make rapid progress. I wish sewing might be taught at a much earlier age and that cooking might be attained.

It will be necessary to withdraw her from school at the end of the grammar grades and place her in some school where she may be taught domestic science, while she could keep on in the High School if such a training could be obtained there.

Let those in that school who desire to go to higher institutions of learning, have the necessary training, but give the remainder, especially the girls, a more practical education than they are getting at present, so they will be somewhat fitted to enter the home, when school days are no more and be of some real service there.

I am positive I am voicing the opinions of many mothers. Much that is now being taught might be eliminated and that which is practical substituted. At the same time that a love for the beautiful is inculcated and necessary knowledge, let the practical occupy also an important place.

A MOTHER.

WHAT A HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLAR SAYS.

The following letter has been received from one who signs himself "A Pupil of the W. H. S." We have no comment to make, but present the communication *exactly* as received.

MR. EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Although it was made evident by one of the gentlemen who has taken the opposing side that we, the pupils of the W. H. S. ought not to be consulted, yet as there have been some very mistaken views taken especially by the gentleman from Everett, we thought we would try to right them.

Mr. Willard's whole piece was about fraternaties. If he knew the state of affairs our "frat's" are in I think he would not have spoken as he did. I know of but three or 4 societies in this High School. There may be more, but no one would know it. Therefore it might be well to find out whether extracts from different papers apply to us. There are enough things which people have against us which they can back up.

May we ask,— Aren't the school commity going to enter into this discussion? Isn't there any champions to be found for our couse? Also would Mr. Whitney please tell us what "more or less foolish High school expences of an ornamental or social nature" the town is paying for. We admit we didn't realize the town was doing this for us.

One other point that was at least hinted at in two pieces of the last number of the STAR. That is the dances and social functions of the school. Other schools have far more of them than we do. We have on the average of four a year. This can't possibly interfere with our work. What we do outside of school time is ours so long as we do our home studying, effects us only.

Should the towns people be more interested in our affairs and attend them better we might work harder to apply the methods they suggest. Not many attended our plays in comparison with the number that was expected.

And as for athletic sports, the number of men could be counted on one hand with the exception of the Melrose game, yet the boys are doing their best to entertain those that do come. Their record shows that, but still no one is particularly interested. Won't You come and see what we are doing? You may not think us such a bad lot after all.

Hoping we shall be excused for our interferance, and thanking the editor for his time and space.

I am

A PUPIL OF THE W. H. S.

ALL WILL BE WELCOME.

The officers and members of the Calumet club extend a most cordial invitation to the gentlemen in town to attend the auction sale of seats for the Club's annual show, the "Isle of Bamboo" at the Club house on this Saturday evening.

The sale of seats will begin at eight o'clock, an orchestra will furnish music and an attractive lunch served to all.

A special effort will be made to have the evening one of mutual benefit. Come and enjoy yourself, and become better acquainted with your neighbor and town's people.

For your valentines go to Wilson the Stationer's.

FESTIVAL OF MONTHS.

Plans are complete for the coming Festival of Months in aid of Morgan Memorial, to open Feb. 8 at 7 p. m. The ladies of the auxiliary of which Mrs. Edward Dunning of Winchester is the president, have been hard at work for many weeks perfecting arrangements. The decorations are in charge of the Rev. [illegible] Magee of the church of the Higher Life, and although great secrecy is maintained they promise to be very unique. The object is such a noble one that it is hoped a large sum will be realized. Young society girls under the direction of Mrs. Chas. A. Lincoln will act as guides, and will show the visitors all over the buildings, and at each industry one of the operators will explain the workings. This promises to be an interesting feature, as undoubtedly many are not familiar with the various forms of employment taught at this unique institution. A few of the industries are printing, sewing, rug-making and basket work, shoe making, laundry and cooking. There is also a free employment bureau, a real estate office, a day nursery and kindergarten.

The rug factory is turning out hundreds of beautiful colonial and arts and crafts rugs, made from old carpets. The Children's House at 7 Osborn Place provides for the overflow of children. Here clubs are conducted; meals provided for certain children in the public schools who are not provided with wholesome food at home. Classes are conducted here in dressmaking, cooking and embroidery. "The House of Thrift" gives work to all worthy men and women. Here carpet rags are stripped and sewed, garments are cleaned and repaired, cottons are separated from woolens, and papers sorted, and all materials turned into articles of usefulness. Bags may be had in which to put the articles of no value in your homes by sending a postal to Mr. Edgar Helms, care of Morgan Memorial, Shawmut avenue, Boston. A country branch has been started at South Athol, where in the summer more than a hundred children and several old ladies receive an outing for two months. Five fine camps have been constructed and several industries started there, among them farming. The industrial school teaches the boys and girls basket-weaving, printing, cobbling and sloyd. At the day nursery the poor mother may leave her baby for five cents a day while she performs the work furnished for her by the institution and for which she receives wages. The kindergarten is for the older ones who have not reached public school age. There is a fine school of music under the direction of Prof. W. W. Adams. The best instruction is given and some fine talent discovered. An earnest temperance work is carried on and Saturday night concerts provided for the men to keep them out of temptation. During the Festival one will have a chance to see all this in operation.

The reception committee is under the direction of Mrs. Thomas Van Ness and Mrs Dillon Bronson and they have asked a number of society people to receive with them daily at 3 P. M. Following is a list of Patronnesses: Mrs. Curtis Guild Jr., Mrs. Eben S. Draper, Mrs. S. Guild, Mrs. John L. Bates, Mrs. John D. Long, Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. John W. Weeks, Mrs. O. Atherton Shepard, Mrs. S. A. Rich, Mrs. H. A. Gallagher, Mrs. Samuel Powers, Mrs. Edward Ray Speare, Mrs. Chas. D. Ames, Mrs. Julian C. Jaynes, Mrs. W. Scott Fitz, Mrs. Paul Revere Frothingham, Mrs. Henry S. Grew, Mrs. John Homans, Mrs. John P. Kidder, Mrs. Henry O. Forbes, Mrs. Edward Cummings, Mrs. Charles S. Dean, Mrs. Oliver H. Durrell, Mrs. William E. Huntington, Mrs. A. G. Barber, Mrs. George F. Washburn, Mrs. Howard N. Brown, Mrs. Frank K. Nash, Mrs. David M. Little, Mrs. William M. Gove, Mrs. George A. Hibbard, Mrs. William Noyes, Mrs. George H. Young, Mrs. O. C. Sanborn, Mrs. Mathew Robson, Mrs. Harry O. Underwood, Mrs. G. Louis Richards, Mrs. William P. Farmer, Mrs. Julius F. Ramsdell, Mrs. Harry F. Bean, Mrs. George F. Curtis, Mrs. C. R. Elliot, Mrs. Wendell Weston, Mrs. M. M. Foucar, Mrs. Charles E. Parks, Mrs. Alton Tapper, Mrs. Roderick Stebbins, Mrs. Dillon Bronson and Mrs. Thomas Van Ness.

Among the Winchester ladies interested are Mrs. Edward Dunning, Mrs. George Root, Mrs. Herbert Cooke, Miss Elizabeth Stevens, Mrs. Orrin C. Sanborn, Mrs. Wendell Weston and Mrs. Edgar M. Young.

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ANALOGY OF THE REVIVALISTIC MEETINGS AND THE SPECIAL AWAKENINGS IN PAST REFORMS.

I have asked Rev. Mr. Newton to allow the publication of that portion of his sermon of last Sunday hereto appended, thinking it may interest people to read it, as it did those who heard it. Having secured this extract, I shall be glad if you can kindly give it space.

Yours truly,

ALFRED S. HALL.

[illegible] first of all philosophy of a religious movement like that of the Chapman-Alexander evangelistic campaign which is coming to Greater Boston this week, you have long studied the psychology of the individual. What does the psychology of numbers tell us about a religious awakening? When man wants to work out a great thing, a movement is developed. Uniting hundreds of voters he has a constitution and government. Coming together in a multitude, men pray, sing, worship, and in the genial atmosphere the hidden faculties unfold, like roots and flowers in the warm sunshine. Light a match, and single it goes out, but put it in the midst of other combustibles,— it does not go out, but spreads its flame to all the rest.

Every four years we may be said to have in politics a political revival. Dignified judges, learned editors, bankers and merchants all join in a revival movement. They hire speakers, some of them carry torchlights, procure bands, and march through the streets like a Salvation Army. The evangelists are the leaders of the parties. This political revival lasts from four to six weeks, although it is preceded by many weeks of preparation.

In the atmosphere of enthusiastic discussion and appeal many young men native born, and many foreigners who have never voted begin to ask,—What do those great political parties stand for? What is social truth? What is economic truth? What is civic truth? In those hours of concentrated attention their thoughts crystalize, and they form a political allegiance which very likely will last for life. The political revival ends when the President is elected, but all the rest of their lives multitudes of men are different because of that series of meetings.

Then there is the educational revival. It is said that Pestalozzi was a prophet who discerned some laws of mental growth. Thomas Arnold was a teacher who put those laws in form, while Horace Mann was the evangelist who spread the movement and made it a contagion.

There was the temperance reform. It has been pointed out that Lyman Beecher was the philosopher who in his sermons on "The Economic Disadvantages of Intemperance," stated the truth. President Nott was the scholar who published the truth, while John B. Gough was the evangelist who carried the reform among all English-speaking peoples.

Again there was the movement against slavery. Prophets among us away back saw the essential iniquity of slavery and so spoke. Emerson and others put the facts in doctrinal form, but Wendell Phillips and William Lloyd Garrison, Harriet Beecher Stowe and John G. Whittier were the evangelists who spread the movement.

A generation ago a religious movement was on hereabouts. Mr. Beecher was a prophet who brought out and emphasized the love of God. A theologian who put it in perfect form was Horace Bushnell, and the evangelists who spread it were Moody and Sankey. Mention any form of social progress, and you have the story of a revival movement.

Now another religious movement is in progress. Those who have travelled through this land and met large audiences realize that there is a great moral, ethical and religious movement sweeping over this land. Without emotional hysteria, but as an economic and business necessity, 11,000 saloons have been voted out of existence during the past year, while there is at present a total of eight prohibition states, with the likelihood of three others being added in the near future. Whatever we may think of the thousands of young people in Cleveland and elsewhere who have resolved to live as Jesus would (and some of us do wonder what their Christian life meant to them before that), nevertheless we must recognize that a new impulse, fresh awakening to religious faith and duty has come into their lives. Says a minister and lecturer who has spoken to great crowds of people indoors and outdoors, in parks and groves, in theatres and opera houses, in wagons and in factories at the

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THE MIDDLESEX CANAL.

[The following was a prize winning essay in the historical contest recently held by The Fortnightly. This contest was open to pupils of the High school only.]

Of all the projects connected with the early history of the territory now called Winchester, Middlesex Canal was the most important and perhaps interesting. Of the twenty-seven miles of this grand old waterway the most picturesque portion was in our town. We can almost see the last survivor of the Mystic tribe, while pounding his corn in the Indian maize bowl on Horn Pond Mountain, looking down with dread at the construction of the canal below—a result of the civilization that was driving him from his native haunts.

Now it is only with difficulty that the course of the canal can be traced through our town. Where streets have not been constructed on its line, it has become filled with refuse. Perhaps the best place at present to get an idea of the old canal's appearance is on the peninsular which juts out into Mystic Lake from the Parkway. Here we can discern what appears to be two parallel bridle paths within a distance of about thirty feet of each other. Between them is a slight hollow of a depth of about eight feet. The canal reached "the Peninsular" from the Brooks estate in West Medford, following the general direction of what is now the Parkway. After passing what we know as the "Aqueduct," the old waterway extended through a stretch of farming land, which has been converted into an ideal residential section. It crossed Church street close to where the gasometer is now standing, and then took a straight course along the westerly shore of Wedge Pond, where Middlesex street has been built on the tow path. As the canal went on toward Horn Pond it left Winchester a short distance north of the old piano shops.

The Middlesex Canal was the first waterway of its kind constructed in America, so that it claims something more than a local interest in history. It was built as a means for transporting freight between Haymarket Square in Boston and the Merrimac River at Chelmsford, near Lowell. The original plan of its promoters was to put the canal through to meet the upper Connecticut River. The canal was designed to bring lumber and farm products to Boston, in exchange for merchandise. But, like so many things in our aggressive nation, it could not respond to the increasing demands made on it for speed, and so was superceded by the railroad.

Governor John Hancock granted the charter for the canal in seventeen hundred ninety-three (1793). Col. Laommi Baldwin of Woburn, famous for his discovery of the Baldwin apple, together with several other prominent men, formed the corporation. The Woburn gentleman probably took the most active interest in the carrying out of the project. He had the general superintendence of the building of the canal, and held the distinction of digging the first spadeful of earth in its construction, about a year after the charter was given. The canal was opened to the public nine years later, in the year eighteen-hundred-three, after an expenditure of nearly three-quarters of a million dollars.

When the waterway had been in operation a few years some of its enterprising owners found that it did not extend far enough north to attract business from northern New Hampshire and Vermont. They formed the Merrimac Boating Company to carry freight between Boston and Concord, through the canal twenty-seven miles and the Merrimac River fifty-two miles. The first boat reached Concord in the autumn of eighteen-hundred-thirteen and boats began to run regularly one year later. This company conceived the idea of navigating the river by steam, and a plant for the construction of steamboats was equipped on the Aberjona River near the present site of Wedgemere station. After the completion of the first steamer, it was found that the paddle wheel stirred up the water to the point of overflowing the towpath. The steam-boat reached Concord in the year eighteen-hundred-nineteen, but that method of propulsion was soon abandoned.

About half a century constituted the useful life of the Middlesex Canal. During its years of prosperity it netted an annual income of about twenty-five thousand dollars to the owners. The profits naturally began to fall away rapidly after the opening of the Boston and Lowell Railroad in eighteen hundred thirty-five, as the merchants found they could ship goods all the year round, the canal being closed during the winter months. The charter, however, was not taken away until the year eighteen hundred fifty-nine, when the land reverted to the original owners.

The construction of such a canal as the Middlesex would be quite an engineering task even today. To traverse twenty-seven miles of upland and lowland, lake and river, with a channel of water four feet in depth and twenty-five in width, is no mean problem. The rise of one hundred and four feet between Charlestown and Chelmsford was overcome by thirteen locks scattered along the course of the canal. There were several aqueducts to carry the canal over streams, the largest being at the peninsular before mentioned. Its length was one hundred and eighty feet and it was supported by large granite blocks.

After the discontinuance of the canal, many of these blocks were taken by Mr. Shepherd Brooks, of West Medford, for the foundation of his mansion overlooking Mystic Lake. The unused stone may still be seen in the pasture nearby.

Could we look back one hundred years and see one of the boats of the Middlesex Canal moving slowly along, we should undoubtedly be as strongely impressed as were the Indians who first beheld Henry Hudson's "Half Moon." For what would seem more queer than a boat nearly fifty feet in length and ten in width, drawn along by a horse at the rate of about three miles an hour? These little barges, as we might call them, were in charge of two men, one the driver, riding his horse over the tow path, and the other the helmsman, armed with a long sweep which served as a rudder. In the earlier days of the canal there were boats both for freight and passengers. The freight boats were often as long as seventy-five feet, and sometimes drawn in a series together, as coal barges are today. The "passage" boats, as they were called, were lighter and were propelled a little faster than those for "luggage." It must indeed have been a pleasant and restful means of travelling which they furnished.

The boats of the Middlesex Canal did not run at night, but were tied up. This necessitated many inns along the route, and several of them became famous taverns. One of them, the Horn Pond House, was regarded as a half-way station; boatsmen would plan to arrive there at dusk and spend a joyful evening. Then, after an early morning start, the journey would be resumed and Lowell reached about noon. A little way south of this inn was situated the Winchester lock. The granite blocks of which it was made still remain at the northerly end of the meadow into which the waste water was allowed to flow. The lock was tended by Samuel Taylor. His residence is now standing off Canal Street, and is a good type of the colonial homestead. There many a traveler has been given shelter for a night.

The canal was a favorite resort for various pleasure seekers. It had a great attraction for the small boys, who could safely swim in it in summer and skate along its course in winter. There was enough fishing for those who enjoyed that alluring sport. It is said that the strolling of young people along the towpath was frequent on Sunday afternoons. All must have felt that a good friend was lost to them when the practical use of the canal was given up and the water was drawn off for good. To this old friend, the Middlesex Canal, about the only memorials we have today are Middlesex street, Winchester, and Canal street, Boston.

RALPH H. COWDERY.
Winchester High School.

"ROSE OF INDIA" FULL OF NEW STUNTS.

"Carrie Nation" the donkey in the "Rose of India," which the Newtowne Club of Cambridge is to present February 1st to 6th is said to be the funniest quadruped which ever faced an audience. "She" has a rival, though, in Tammany Tiger. Altogether they make fun by the yard.

The properties and costumes of the piece portray with absolute fidelity the atmosphere of the hill towns of India. The music is also absolutely authentic; Mr. Scott, the author, spending weeks among the native groups in Earl's Court London, getting the proper setting for this his greatest effort in Comic Opera.

The rock-hewn temple of the second act, has a scenic setting worthy of any professional play. Boolam-Bang, the fakir, introduces several difficult Indian feats, among them the rope trick and the Mango tree trick, while Feed-Bago, e fat maiden sister of the Nizam creates consternation by a fainting fit of unheard of violence and duration.

Perhaps the cleverest bit of work on the part of the Author of the "Rose of India" (Mr. Stanton Hill) was to incorporate the priceless rug, on which the whole play hinges, in the canopy over the head of the great Nizam or native ruler. It goes wherever he goes, guarded at all times, yet lending its rich hues to the queer sedan-like outfit which shelters the potentate from the sun.

The singing of Mr. Walter E. Anderton (Princess Bonea) and the dancing of Mr. N. F. Xavier (Nadia) are two features which should not be overlooked and the whole cast under the efficient coaching of Mr. G. C. V. Lord is doing good work. A few dress rehearsals only are needed to bring the whole cast into team work which insures success.

NEWSPAPER REGRETS.

Not often is it that a metropolitan newspaper will confess its regret at its attitude toward public men. Yet here is the Boston American saying in its editorial column:

"Theodore Roosevelt has been President of the United States almost eight years. He has made mistakes—a good many. We have talked of those mistakes more than once. We are sorry now that we noticed them so vigorously and so frequently. We should have paid more attention to the enemies that he has made, to the truths that he has told, the courage that he has shown from the beginning.

"We see the character of Theodore Roosevelt in the fights that are made against him. Every trust jackal is biting at his heels—or coming as near to the heels as he dares—and snarling.

"Professional criminals in office are passing resolutions against the President, and the honest, more or less foolish law-making minority is dragged into the peformance."

AN UP TO DATE SPANKING MACHINE.

The residents of East Penna, Ill., are very much disturbed over the introduction in their public schools of an electric automatic spanking machine which has tended to eliminate the possibilities of physical training along that line by the teacher, although its operation has proved effective with the pupils. The machine is fitted with a series of paddles so that when the button is pressed the paddles apply themselves automatically to the anatomy of the recalcitrant youngster. The punishment need not be severe, because the working of the appliance can be regulated to a nicety.

The married man's first duty family. Is your home well pr If not, talk policy with Woods.

LINCOLN CENTENNIAL.

In about two weeks from now, namely on Friday, Feb. 12th, will be celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of President Lincoln, the "Preserver of the Union."

Mr. Charles S. Parker, Patriotic Instructor of Mass. Dept. G. A. R., following the suggestion of National Encampment, has prepared for that occasion a program for use in schools that has been so universally commended that it has made a wide place for itself not only in Massachusetts, but in several other states. Arlington schools have been supplied, Lexington and Belmont schools will also use this program and it only remains for the parents to interest themselves and make up a fitting audience on the day named. The Boston Globe has briefly outlined the program as follows: —

"Mr. Parker's program, arranged for a general celebration, provides for the singing of the American hymn, to be followed by an invocation, the form of which is furnished, and after that a salute to the flag by the school children, and as a conclusion to that feature the audience is to rise and sing with the children the chorus of The Star Spangled Banner. Then follows a recitation of Gov. Curtis Guild's Lincoln day proclamation of 1906, after which there is the recitation of Noah Davis' poem, 'Abraham Lincoln' to be followed with a recitation of Ingersoll's 'The Volunteer Defenders of the Flag,' the exercises to close with the singing of 'Red, White and Blue.' For celebration by high schools the program arranged calls for three essays under the general head of Lincoln and the constitution, the essays not to exceed eight hundred words each in length, and for other grades exercises in colloquial form have been provided, to be followed by four patriotic recitations, singing 'Our Dear Land, America,' an address, and then, after the singing of 'America' by the audience, there come the benediction and dismissal."

NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

The law relative to arrest for non-payment of taxes has been modified so that:

"A collector of taxes who issues a warrant for the arrest of a person for non-payment of taxes, or the officer to whom he commits the warrant, may at his discretion, after the service of the warrant, allow such person to go free for a period not exceeding 14 days after said service, at which time, if said person does not pay his tax with all fees and charges due thereon, including $1 for service of said warrant and five cents for each mile traveled by said officer in the performance of said collection, the said officer shall then arrest the said person on the aforesaid warrant, and commit him to the jail of that county.

"When a collector is credited, pursuant to the provisions of section 83 of chapter 13 of the Revised Laws with the amount of taxes assessed upon any person committed to jail for the non-payment of his tax, who has not paid his tax, said collector shall also be paid and credited with the fees and charges which have become a part of said taxes and to which he or the officer acting under his warrant is entitled."

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"Been long in the trade?"

"'Bout a year, guv'nor."

"Ever make mistakes?"

"Bless yer, no, guv'nor!"

"Oh, then, I suppose it's all right! I imagined you had connected up the wrong pipes, for the chandelier in the drawing room is spraying like a fountain, and the bathroom tap's on fire!"—London Answers.

Declining.

"Miss Frocks has reached her declining years," said Jones.

"Nonsense," replied Brown. "She's not more than twenty-five."

"But she has declined half a dozen men."

The "Leading Heavy."

"What's the matter now?"

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What Happened in Winchester 30 Years Ago, or Thereabouts.

Taken From Old Files

The members of the class of '79, Winchester High School, met at the house of the principal, Mr. Harrington, where they were entertained by some fine playing and singing by members of the class. At supper, each received a bouquet, and much amusement was created by putting on the caps found in the bon-bons.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moulton, of Madison avenue, were handsomely complimented and agreebly surprised by friends who had determined to make the fifteenth wedding anniversary of the worthy pair an occasion for festivity. Many handsome and costly presents in glassware were made, the donors speaking through Rev. Richard Metcalf.

A one-horse car freshly painted and in excellent order arrived in town from Salem. The North Woburn Street Railway have given the Salem company, in exchange, a double-horse car which stood in need of repair, and some extra cash. The new arrival will be used with one horse in the summer season and with two horses in the winter.

The following officers were elected in the Winchester Reform Club: President, John R. Cobb; Vice-presidents, Henry Wilson, Edward Robinson, John Heminway; Treasurer, A. E. Rowe; Secretary, S. C. Small; F. S., C. E. Kendall; Steward, William Dotten; Sergeant-at-Arms, John Stoddard; Marshals, J. D. Sharon, Paul Racine.

Commodore Wm. F. Spicer, U. S. N., Commandant at CharlestownNavy Yard, died in the 57th year of his age. His death was caused by a tumor in the chest. Funeral services were held at his home in Winchester.

Mr. J. F. Stone's hall is now completed ready for occupancy. The building formerly known as Uni n Hall, has been in part pulled down, and in part built up, and a compact, commodious Hall fitted with every modern convenience and adapted for lectures or any public service, has been reared in its place. In the Main Hall, which is 16 feet in height and 31x29, there are 8 spacious windows giving a good supply of light, a magnificent chandelier hangs from the ceiling, which with the walls, are beautifully frescoed. Off this hall, there is a large ante room equally well appointed; this room can be made to form part of the Main hall in the event of more room being required. Opening out from the ante room is a tastefully fitted-up dressing room. This hall was named Livingston Hall in honor of the great African explorer. At the present time but little is heard of it.

Many of the music lovers of Winchester assembled informally at the residence of J. F. Stone, Esq. Mrs. Susie C. Bailey and Miss Mary C. Gale, of Winchester, vocalists, kindly contributed to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Bates most agreeably surprised by their friends. The occasion was the fortieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Bates.

Benjamin Chaloner, formerly a resident of Winchester, but residing at Accotink, FairfaxCo., Va., on the Potomac river, was drowned in that river.

Wm. Parkman Lodge of Masons, reelected the following officers for 1879: W. M., T. S. Spurr; S. W., N. F. Marble; J. W., G. S. Littlefield; Treasurer, Geo. F. Parker; Secretary, Leone S. Quimby.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

For the second week of their engagement at Keith's Theatre, McIntyre and Heath will appear in "The Man From Montana," which by many is declared to be even funnier than their famous "Georgia Minstrels." The return of this team to vaudeville has proved to be one of the events of the season.

There is an entire change of bill aside from the headliners, one of the principal features being Belle Blanche, than whom there is no better imitator of popular stage stars before the public today.

Others on the bill are Montgomery and Moore in their amusing specialty in which the piano playing is a feature; Herr Grais' Babboons; Reynolds and Donegan, who have a skating act in beautiful stage settings; Ward and Curran in "The Terrible Judge," Lawrence Crane, the Irish magician who will present a number of new mysteries that have been creating a sensation everywhere; Brown and Nevarro; Alba and the Wroe Trio.

Rep. Brown of Medford has introduced a bill into the Legislature providing for an appropriation of $10,000 for the erection by the Metropolitan Park Commission of a bathhouse on the upper Mystic River. The Medford Mercury says it would be particularly accessable to Winchester as well as surrounding towns. Winchester boys, however, will be found at the same old place on Mystic Lake, whether the proposed bathhouse is built or not.

Don't invest your money in a "hit or miss" proposition. Buy a lot that is sure to appreciate. George Adams Woods.

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are brain signals that your system is in some way disorganized and unless the cause of the trouble is removed they will become more and more frequent, and gradually increase both in duration and intensity. The sympathetic nerves are weakened by the repeated attacks, and the malady finds an easy lodgment whenever the bodily and mental conditions favor its return.

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A PUBLIC SCANDAL.

High Personal Character Did Not Insure Business Efficiency.

A Case Where Good Men Slept at Their Posts and Allowed the City Waterworks to Run to Waste and Ruin. Negative Qualities of Officials Responsible For Mobile's Extravagant Neglect of Costly Plant.

Mobile, Ala., built its waterworks in 1899 at a cost of $437,000, which has been increased to more than $1,000,000 by extensions. One would naturally suppose that an undertaking in which so much public money was invested and upon which the health, comfort and safety of the citizens so largely depend would be conducted with at least a semblance of business and engineering ability. Yet an investigation into its management has disclosed a condition of carelessness and neglect that is appalling. In a report to the council the mayor says:

"The engineer did not take the day watch and slept practically throughout the night watch, leaving the pumps in charge of negro help, and in fact his general duties were performed in a way inimical to the best interests of the city."

The superintendent apparently did not regard it as a part of his duties to see that the machinery was properly cared for, and a member of the waterworks committee of the council stated, after hearing the mayor's report, that if there had been a meeting of his committee in the last two years he hadn't heard of it!

At the same time a citizens' committee presented a report of an investigation along other lines. It showed that there was on hand at most only 2,000 tons of coal instead of the 5,000 tons called for by the engineer's own figures. It demonstrated that in four years the cost of pumping per million gallons had increased nearly 60 per cent, although it should have diminished, as the amount pumped had more than doubled. It further called attention to the facts that there were no scales at the plant to check coal purchases, that the rates to certain classes of consumers were obviously unfair and that the reports for the last two years had been so lacking in details that they are useless as affording a basis for ascertaining whether the plant has been honestly and properly operated.

Commenting on the situation described above, a prominent citizen of Mobile writes:

"This is especially bad because the personnel of the Mobile city council and of the mayor is of the highest as to integrity and the freedom of the management from petty policies."

Good men, bad management—a curious combination! Yet not so strange when one considers that each one of these good men gives only a small fraction of his time, attention and ability to the work of the city because his heart is in his own business or profession. Mere goodness—freedom from graft and unworthy motives—is a mighty poor equipment for running a million dollar business, or any business for that matter. To make any business successful requires positive qualities in the management, and these qualities are usually available only at a price which our cities do not pay. Plenty of good business men are elected to city councils, but they cease to be good business men the minute they pass the door of the council chamber. They don't give the time and energy necessary to learn the city's business as they learned their own business, and no amount of ability in some other business makes up for lack of knowledge of the city's business; hence the usual result—good men, bad management.

There are, of course, exceptional cases where men of high character and ability are able and willing to devote a large portion of their time to the work of the city without thought of compensation. But the more frequent exceptions are those cases in which men of ability, but lacking in character, devote enough of their time to the city's business to master it thoroughly, not, however that they may conduct it economically and efficiently, but that they may utilize it to the benefit of their own pockets or political ambitions. One such man can wind about his fingers a dozen "good men," whose real interests lie outside the council chamber. The story of the failure of municipal business undertakings can usually be summed up in one of two ways—indifference on the part of all of the council or indifference on the part of the "good men," coupled with malevolent interest on the part of the "practical politicians."

Another case in point is Toledo, O. Brand Whitlock, disciple and successor of "Golden Rule" Mayor Jones, is undoubtedly a good man, but while he has sat in the city hall, inditing beautiful theories on good government, the abolition of "special privileges" and the curbing of corporations, his subordinates in the water department have been indulging in the "special privilege" of converting the city's money to their own behoof. The report of the expert accountants, called in too late to lock the stable door, condemns as utterly inadequate the bookkeeping system of the department. In other words, these two mayors of ability and character far above the average allowed a department with an annual income of $200,000 to be managed without the accounting checks which either of them would have applied immediately to a private business.

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THE FEBRUARY METROPOLITAN.

The danger which menaces our economical future is graphically described in "The Giant Trust of the Future," an illustrated article by Earl Mayo which is offered to the readers of the February Metropolitan Magazine. It will not fail to command the attention of all Americans who take thought of their own welfare, for it warns against the imminent control by one trust of practically all the comforts and necessities of life. "A Pivot of Imperialism," by F. L. Harding, tells in a definite manner of Malta, England's key to the Suez Canal and the Far East. The presence of the North Atlantic Squadron in the Mediterranean Sea this month makes this article all the more valuable to those who have followed the fortunes of our ships and sailors. "The Inspiration of Japan," by Herbert G. Ponting is a delightfully illustrated study of the mystery and traditions of the Island Empire. The last "Love Letters of George Sand and Alfred de Musset" appear in this number. They bring to an end the hitherto unknown romance of these two gifted authors.

Among the unusually good short stories this month are: "The Quality of Courage," by Edward Marshall; "The Corn," by Marian Warner Widman; "Rodalver," by Marjorie L. C. Pickthall; "The Slide at El Cajon," by Charles Frederick Holder; "The Man with the Latch-Key," by Mayne Lindsay; and "Old Home Days," by James Earl Clauson.

GAIETY THEATRE.

Boston has a new playhouse, the handsome Gaiety Theatre on Washington street, near Boylston street and for the short time it has been open, it has been crowded every afternoon and evening by delighted and satisfied audiences. This must needs be so or there would not be a succession of houses filled with patrons always certain to find burlesque and vaudeville entertainments to their liking. The Gaiety is one of the safest and most hygenic theatres in the country. It is the latest place of amusement erected in Boston under the strict regulations of the building and fire departments of the city and really seems as if it were one solid casting of cement. Its exits are upon all four sides of the building; they are numerous on each floor and are all equipped with patent fastenings which fly open at the slightest touch. The fresh air and heating arrangements are so perfect that the entire volume of atmosphere in the house can be completely changed in four minutes. The electric, scenic and mural decorations are of extraordinary cost and beauty, in short, the Gaiety is one of the sights of the city, a show place where business men and ladies a shopping love to gather and pass a few hours pleasantly in forgetfulness of the care laden world outside.

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CHILDREN AND THE MAILS.

Editor of the Star:

The thinking men and women of Winchester must be interested in the latest use for the public schools as found by the Postmaster General. I refer to the teaching of the children how to use the mails properly.

The idea is an excellent one. Certainly the people need to be told how to use the postal service. Thirteen million pieces of mail matter and more went to the dead letter office last year because of improper addressing, etc.

The Postmaster General would save the people this disappointment and loss. The children are the missioners of education. So educate them as to the operation of the postal service, say the Postmaster General.

The teachers will want to know when; they will want to know what older fashion of teaching is to be crowded out for the new course. As a matter of fact, nothing ought to be crowded out. The extra information ought to be gotten in extra time. No possible harm could come to the children if, once in a while, after-school conferences were held on such matters as how to use the mails. There are other matters that the children would be profited to hear about that could not come within the school curriculum, and it wouldn't be a bad plan at all to hold an occasional school meeting for talks about them. They could be made sufficiently informal not to be a tax or a strain upon the teachers either. The teachers need not necessarily be the speakers. The children would no doubt grow in dignity through becoming occasionally an audience. The school halls would return increased value on their investment, the profit would be general.

The children no doubt get some instruction in letter writing in their general language work, but that is not all there is to the subject of the mails. At the bottom of the dead letter office business is possibly more carelessness than ignorance. But if the children were taken into the confidence of the postal department of the country, knowledge would spread and carelessness would get a spur.

EUGENE BERTRAM WILLARD.
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INSPECTOR OF WIRES.

Editor of the Star:

The frequent occurrence of fires caused by defective Electric Wires has caused (and ought to cause many more) of the citizens of Winchester and the adjoining towns to consider if it would not be advisable to have an Inspector of Wires.

This town has already joined Woburn in hiring an Inspector of Plumbing which plan I think gives very satisfactory results. Why not treat this subject of electric wire inspection in the same way? We have already a set of rules (plain and just to all) compiled by the National Board of Fire Underwriters which are fo[r] the guidance of all electrical contr[actors] [an]d would be sufficient were ther[e] [some one to] enforce them. But as work c[...] [m]ost slipshod and unsafe m[...] [repor]ted to the N. E. Ins. Exchang[e] [as first] class and O. K. by the unrel[iable con]tractor, who feels secure in the kn[owl]edge that his deceit and trickery will be covered up before one of the three inspectors who have to cover the entire New England States, barring only those cities which have a satisfactory municipal inspector, can inspect the work.

And right here I want to say that thro' no fault of the Ins. Exchange, but owing to the large tract of territory they are obliged to cover, the greater majority of houses are never inspected at all. So you can see that it is not wise or safe to depend solely on Ins. Exch. to guard your interest. Now can the average layman tell whether his house is wired in a manner to warrant his living in it in safety or whether it is liable at any time to cause a fire which may devastate not only his own but possibly his neighbor's property. Very few people outside those engaged in the electrical business know the tricks and deceits which can and are practiced on a job of wiring by the sharp-witted and deceitful contractor to save a few dollars and incidentally underbid another contractor.

This practice on the part of a contractor endangers the lives and property of the residents and appears to me to be nothing short of criminal. I have given this matter much study and thought, not only in this neighborhood, but also in the other places I have worked during the past six years, which includes the greater part of Mass. and Maine.

I would suggest that the matter be brought up in the coming town meeting and see if the majority of the voters would not rather use a few hundred dollars in this way for the prevention of fires instead of raising it for the extinguishing of fires, which could be easily prevented, where in one instance which occurs to me, it seems as though an inspector might have prevented a fire which the fire department (through no fault of theirs) could not put out until it had done damage enough to pay an inspector of wires' salary several years, to say nothing of the suffering caused the dumb animals which were unable to escape.

I would suggest that this town try and make arrangements with Woburn, Stoneham and Reading (all of which need an inspector) to hire an inspector of wires to inspect in all the above town, and be paid jointly by them.

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OBSERVATIONS.

Editor of The Star:

While the letters regarding the school question have been interesting, it would seem as if the pin matter had been fully covered and that attention to the grammar and other schools would be more profitable now.

Later in the year we brought our grade crossing abolition petition, in the law was amended so that when the parties in interest agree, the railroad commissioners may act as the commission. They are very much more expeditious than the special commissions and far more satisfactory to deal with, and it was rather unfortunate that we acted quite so soon as we did.

People do not walk in the street because it is so fine, but because the sidewalk is so bad, and there are too many places in our town where this is true. The only satisfactory material for such a walk is concrete or cement of some kind and if of good quality and well put down is the cheapest in the end.

The town of Hudson has a bill in the legislature for a board of public works on the lines of the Arlington acts. The larger towns, like the cities, are finding out that the old systems for carrying on their municipal works do not fill the bill for accomplishing the best results and are gradually changing them. We should change ours now as the expenditures are bound to largely increase. Why don't we do it?

As was to be expected the demands for water, sewer and street work have taken a big jump this year, the peg having been withdrawn on bond issues. It is all right to issue bonds now and do some of the things that have been on the table for the past five years, but we cannot do them all this year. The important thing is not the debt, but the annual payments, and full advantage should be taken of the time limit in every case, 30 years for water and sewer bonds, 20 years for buildings bonds, 10 years for highway (new macadam) and drainage bonds. This is the only way we can keep our tax rate down, and it is a right and proper way.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

January 25th, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Voted to write Mrs. Stella R. Root that the Town Hall had been booked for The Fortnightly Club April 5th, next, as requested.

Received from the city of Medford letter asking if Winchester would send a committee to a conference to be held in regard to terminus of the Boston & [No]rthern cars in Medford. Voted to [reply th]at we would be glad to send a [delegate w]hen notified of date of conference.

Voted [...]d of Gas and Electric Light [...]king them if they cannot red[uce] [...]n the petition now before the [...] in price of electric lighting [...] so that the town may be able [to act] intelligently on appropriation at [the] town meeting in March.

Warrants drawn for $674.07 and $703.55.

Adjourned at 10.15 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Bessie M. Small, principal of the Highland School, who had been absent since September owing to sickness, returned to her duties Monday. Miss Edith F. Trombley who had been acting principal during her absence, has accepted a position to teach at Ossining, N. Y.

Miss Blanche L. Strickland, supervisor of physical training in the schools, is entertaining her sister from North Hampton.

The mid-year examinations in the High school and grades 4 to 9 in the other buildings were held this week.

The condition of Miss Mary J. Hills shows much improvement. The first operation for skin grafting was very successful. Miss Carrie L. Mason furnished the skin necessary, it being taken from her arms. Further skin grafting will be done, it being taken from Miss Hills own body. She expects to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools next fall.

WHAT OTHERS THINK OF PRESENT SCHOOL METHODS.

Editor of the Star:

Other communities besides Winchester are discussing the "outs" of present methods of education in the public schools. At a meeting lately held by the Wellesley Club at the Copley Square Hotel, Marshall P. Perrin spoke in part as follows regarding suburban schools in the neighborhood of Boston, and his remarks, as reported in the Boston Transcript were loudly applauded:—

"The suburban boy of today knows how to do nothing except to adapt himself to the dull grind of school curriculum. This is for boys who intend to go to college, and it throttles out of a boy's life those things which go to make himself a useful member of society. Promotion is the fetish of the teacher and the bugbear of the scholar. Compulsory education, along college preparation lines, hushes up a boy's activities and is not developing the highest citizenship. The foreign artisan is coming to this country and absorbing the best trades. A college graduate finds himself utterly unfit for commercial life. The trouble with the school of today is that it teaches a boy book learning only. If we don't accept this twentieth century idea, futurity will have the expense of innumerable prisons, almshouses and insane asylums to bear. The country boy is the hope of the nation, and upon him depends the salvation of American democracy."

OLD SCHOOLBOY.

THIRD LECTURE ON LITERATURE.

The third of Mr. Brown's literary studies was held on Thursday, January 21st. The audiences' steady increase show the interest felt in these unusually clear and thoughtful handling of the theme. Bernard Shaw's play "Mrs. Warren's Profession," which is classed by its author among "plays unpleasant" surely vindicated its right to be called so. It was eminently useful as illustrating the living truth that we are "members one of another," that however we may ignore the fact, the wretchedness and slavish weakness of one class of women has an influence even on the sheltered happy homes of more fortunate ones.

As provocative of most animated discussion and lively interest Mr. Brown's lectures so far have proven well worth while. On Thursday morning January 28th, his subject was a "pleasant" play by Mr. Shaw—"Candida," which again brings with it food for thought and subject for discussion.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The members of the local union are invited to attend the meeting of the Western Missionary Society of the Congregational Church, Thursday, February 4, 3 p. m., to hear Miss Elizabeth C. Gordon, acting president of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U., who will speak on the work of Missions from her standpoint.

At the Middlesex County Convention held Wednesday of this week in Phillips Brooks Hall (formerly St. Andrew's Church) at the Frances E. Willard Settlement, the Winchester delegation was the largest that responded to the roll call and evolved a hearty burst of applause.

The convention had among other good things, the privilege of hearing Mrs. Edith S. Davis, National superintendent of scientific temperance instruction who has covered herself with glory and won many adherents to the cause she advocates. She is privileged to add various degrees to her name, having done undergraduate and graduate work in several universities and is able to speak with authority as well as with the charm of a trained speaker. Her daughter, Miss Ruth Davis, is now in Japan as temperance missionary representing the Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Mrs. Myra L. Higgins of North Attleboro made an effective plea for work [fo]r young women and the county [superint]endents presented the claims of [...]. The Settlement was "at home [...] [c]onvention and served luncheo[n] [...]es between the sessions.

PARISH OF THE [EPIPHAN]Y.

A Baptismal service is announ[ced] Sunday at 4.15 p. m.

The Bishop has announced as t[he] date of his visit to this parish, Frid[ay] afternoon March 26th, at the 5 o'clo[ck] service.

The Epiphany Circle will meet M[on]day afternoon at the choir room at 3.

Regular meeting Woman's Gu[ild] comes Tuesday, Februay 2, at the usu[al] hour. The place of meeting will be [an]nounced Sunday.

Feast of the Purification February [2], there will be service at the church at [...] p. m.

W. H. S. NOTES.

Last Wednesday afternoon t[he] second games of the class series we[re] played. The seniors defeated [the] Freshmen in a one-sided game by [a] score of 22 to 0, and the Juniors [de]feated the Sophomores 32 to 22. Fri[day] night, the 29th at eight o'clock, t[he] championship will be decided, wh[en] 1909 and 1910 play against each othe[r]. Both teams have not yet received [de]feat, and by comparing the differe[nt] scores made by both, the game shou[ld] be a very close one. The same nig[ht] the Sophomores will play the Fres[h]men.

ANALOGY OF THE REVIVALISTIC MEETINGS.

(Continued from page 1.)

noon hour, all over this land.—With hungry hearts the people are ready to listen to the old and ever new evangel. A new spiritual warmth is creeping into the air. Go where you will you can get an audience of the common people on almost any day of the week who gladly listen to any questions which affect their welfare. They will give up half their noon hour to listen to discussions upon the needs of education, on temperance, on patriotism, on righting one's record, and on becoming friends with God!" Here in Boston we have recently read of the people packing the theatres, and some of the churches on Sunday evenings to listen to the discussion of civic problems. Last Sunday more than 1400 were turned away from the Ford Building meeting, and you remember how stormy it was. All of which is symptomatic of the hunger of the people after righteousness and for what the kingdom of God on earth stands.

And now the churches of Greater Boston, all of them through sympathy (we are at least in that number, I hope), and many of them through their representatives are entering upon a campaign whose theme is the love of God, the sin and need of man, under a leadership which has been greatly blessed in other cities. Gone the false emotionalism, I am told. Gone crude and drastic appeals to fear. The new appeal is to the conscience, to reason, and of fidelity to the great convictions. The overture will be to prodigals, to the needy, the burdened, the heartsick, and the sin-wounded everywhere. After a few weeks the mission will end. No; these particular meetings will cease, but we hope that in some quiet, subtle, secret way men will be different; homes will be happier; business will be a little higher in its plane; the churches will be fuller, and Christian service will be a joy to many who are now strangers to our Christ, for men will have been lifted nearer to God. People will forget the fret, the fury and the fever of the street; they will turn from the voices of mammon and pleasure-seeking and hear the still, small voice. We certainly hope and pray that the current of character will flow sweeter and deeper toward the sea of God's love.

NEW AID TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.

Boston and Maine Railroad To Establish a Joint Ticket Office in Down-Town New York.

For the better accommodation of the traveling public, and especially those who are planning summer vacation trips to points in Northern and Eastern New England, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, a splendidly appointed new city ticket office and information bureau will be established on or about Janury 25th in the down-town section of New York City by the Boston & Maine Railroad conjointly with the New York, New Haven & Hartford and Maine Central Railroads.

The new agency will be located at 171 Broadway, between Cortlandt and Liberty Street, in the heart of the banking, insurance and Wall street districts.

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Announcements were received in [W]inchester this week of the marriage [of] Mr. William C. Corey and Miss Edna [Wi]lliamson, both of Wilmington, Del.

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Tuesday, 4 p. m. Bible Reading. Mr. Lawrance will read from the Book of Isaiah beginning with the fortieth chapter.

Thursday 3 p. m. Ladies' Friendly Society. Rev. Joel Metcalf, of Taunton, will speak on "Some Religious Aspects of Modern Astronomy." Food sale. Tea.

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12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

4.15 p. m. Baptismal service.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

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10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Anthems—"O Come let us sing unto the Lord." Buck: "The sun shall be no more thy Light." Woodward.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Trial of Peter and John." Acts 4: 1-31.

4.00 p. m. Eventide Service in the main auditorium, with preaching by the pastor. Dr. Hindes will sing twice. All are invited. All seats free. Come.

6 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic: "Heroes of Missions in India." Psalm 96: 1-13. Leader—Mr. Harold Caldwell. All are welcome.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Adjourned meeting of the First Congregational Society. New plans for kitchen and Sunday School improvements will be submitted and discussed. Important that every member be present.

Wednesday, 4.00 p. m. The Minister's Class of boys and girls will meet in the small vestry. Advance lesson will be to the second section in the book. Go over it with your parents. Review the first lesson. Be constant and regular in attendance.

7.45 p. m. Regular mid-week meeting for worship, conference and fellowship around the church fireside. Topic: "Christian Diligence." Rom. 12: 1-21; Luke 19: 11-27.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon—"Needed: A New Vision of Life." Seats free. Welcome.

12.00 m. Bible School. Arthur P. Briggs, Supt. Subject: "Trial of Peter and John." Classes for all.

12 m. Noon Conference for business men. Miss Carrie E. Small of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, Boston, will speak on "Women in Industry."

6.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting. Forbes D. Smith will lead.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon—"A Life with a Purpose."

Monday, 3 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society with Mrs. Newton Shultis, 14 Winthrop street. Mrs. Arthur W. Smith will conduct the lesson study.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer Meeting. Covenant meeting. Subject, "The Power of Prayer in the Jerusalem Church."

Wednesday, 9.05 p. m. Lesson Worker's Conference, conducted by the Rev. Arthur W. Smith.

Thursday, Woman's Benevolent Society, 10 to 4. Luncheon at 12.15.

Friday, 8 p. m. Merrimac Mission, Boston.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John B. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "A Miracle of Grace." The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Trial of Peter and John."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic, "For Love's Sake." Mrs. C. U. Dunning will lead.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Sermon by the Pastor. Topic, "The King's Business."

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Regular meeting of the official board.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Special service. Preacher to be announced.

Thursday, 3 p. m. Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society at the parsonage. Mrs. J. N. Mason, leader.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Special service. Preacher to be announced.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge will preach at M. E. Church tonight, 7.45.

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BASKET BALL.

MELROSE 25 WINCHESTER 19.

Winchester High received her second defeat of the season at the hands of Melrose High last Friday night, on the home floor by the score of 25 to 19. Melrose scored first, which was quickly tied when Sharon shot a goal. On a foul the home players went ahead one point, but soon after Melrose got a goal from the floor, which put them in the lead, and they kept it throughout the game.

Melrose's weight seemed to tire the Winchester team all out and when they broke into a little speed now and then they couldn't keep it up. But at the very end of the game the home players commenced to get desperate and started a great rally, but it was too late for the time was soon up. Wentworth played a fine game for Melrose, he not only covered his man very closely but got three baskets to his credit. Stantial played a steady game and shot nearly all the fouls which he had tried. Thompson and Sharon played good basket ball for Winchester.

WINCHESTER 2ND MELROSE 2ND.

Winchester 2nd defeated Melrose 2nd in a one sided game, 53 to 17. Tuck played a great game getting 12 baskets.

WINCHESTER 32 SOMERVILLE 31.

Winchester High defeated Somerville High at Somerville Y. M. C. A. Tuesday afternoon by the score of 32 to 31. There was a dispute about the score, but Winchester claims the victory. Although Somerville greatly outweighed the Winchester team, they lacked the speed showed by the visitors. The game started with a rush, with Dover scoring the first basket and then Collins quickly followed suit. Then Somerville came to life and tied the score. From that time on, first one team would be ahead and then the other. Dover, Collins and Thompson played a good game for Winchester, while Taylor, and Duggan for Somerville.

WINCHESTER.		SOMERVILLE.
Cameron	r f	Taylor
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Dover	c	Pierce
Thompson	r g	Fisher
Hamilton	l g	Parks

Score: Winchester 32, Somerville 31. Goals from the floor, Cameron 3, Collins 5, Dover 2, Thompson 3, Hamilton, Taylor 5, Duggan 3, Pierce, Parks. Goals from five tries, Cameron 4, Duggan 7. Referee, Hurley. Umpire, Welch. Timer, Nelly.

LADIES' FOREIGN AUXILIARY MEETS.

The Ladies' Foreign Auxiliary of the First Congregational Church met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John K. Murdock. A large number were prespresent, many coming over from Woburn. Following the opening exercises by the new President, Miss Jennie E. Skinner, three very interesting accounts of the pioneer missionaries to the Moslems were given by Mrs. Blaisdell, Mrs. Ryan, and Miss Elsie Enman. Miss Fannie E. Burrage, with the assistance of two ladies who personated Moslem women, gave an entertaining account of their habits and manners as she had seen them when engaged in her work among women and girls in Caesarea, Turkey. Miss Burrage expects to return to Turkey next summer, and the new conditions in that country will no doubt prove very favorable to her work. At the close of her story, Mrs. Murdock invited the ladies to partake of tea and light refreshments, during which they were privileged to meet Miss Burrage and learn many other things concerning Turkish women. It was a very enjoyable afternoon.

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KEBLER—Jan. 24, Lucy E. A. Kebler of Cincinati, widow of John Kebler. Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Monday, at the residence of Mrs. C. A. Folsom, Highland avenue.

SWAN—Jan. 17, At Plymouth, Florida, Phineas W. Swan, formerly of this town, aged 85y. Burial Jan. 25 in Wildwood Cemetery.

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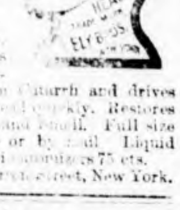

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MOST men have several affairs of the heart, and little or nothing is said about them. With Lincoln it is different. His courtships are magnified, torn to pieces, paraded before the world, his tenderest emotions being dissected and laid bare in a manner the most callous. His despair over the death of one sweetheart, his letters to another, his misunderstandings with a third, who finally became Mrs. Lincoln—all are set forth to the last detail. They are only such experiences as occur to most men, with variations, of course, to fit each individual case. With others they are considered sacred, however, and if mentioned at all it is with a delicacy which one would wish shown to his own love affairs. It seems to be the price of greatness that nothing is sacred. If the future immortal whispers tender nothings in a corner they are afterward bawled from the housetops. If he so much as casts a melting glance at some fair one it is photographed for the inspection of future ages.

There are three affairs in the life of the martyr president, and a fourth is hinted at by at least one biographer. The average man can remember an equal number and perhaps several more. The beauty with Lincoln is that he was benevolent, honest and truthful. He was the very incarnation of the thing we call Americanism, of the democratic spirit. He was the glorified type of the common man, the voice and leader of the plain people. It is these things that have made him "the gentlest memory of our world." Presumably he had ten fingers, two ears and the usual number of bones found in the human body. But why obtrude these facts? Tom Smith and Jim Jenkins are equally endowed in this regard. There are a billion and a half of human entities now living, nearly all with ten fingers, two ears and the full complement of bones. Most of them likewise have had love affairs or will have them when they arrive at the susceptible age; most of them old enough to talk at all have told stories or have tried to do so; most of them are plain of face, especially if they are of the male gender, and all of them have linear dimensions of some sort or other. Yet there is not a single Abraham Lincoln in the whole billion and a half. Why spend so much time on describing a man's hair and eyebrows when he has a soul, or, rather, is a soul, so supremely worth study?

Not that I would minimize Mr. Lincoln's love affairs. These things in the life of any man are beautiful and are cherished according to the degree of his development. With a man of Lincoln's tender heart and sensibilities such things would be sacred and holy, not to be profaned by light references or prying eyes. A man's public life belongs to the public. His private and domestic affairs are his own. The mere fact that one is prominent does not make him the legitimate prey of the merely curious. Many great men have had unhappy home lives. Poor Lincoln was none too fortunate in this regard. But he is at least entitled to respect, even though he was denied his full measure of happiness. Such respect would shield him from a prying scrutiny after death that would never have been given his affairs during life. With all due respect to Messrs. Lamon and Herndon, who, having been his law partners, should have been his devoted friends, it must be said that they have dragged his purely private affairs to light in a very tactless if not an indelicate manner. Moreover, many of their conclusions reflecting on his parents and some regarding his wife have been shown by thorough investigation to be untrue. For example, Herndon says that Lincoln absented himself on his wedding night. As careful a biographer as Ida M. Tarbell denies this and gives the word of numerous personal friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln to prove her statement. In the same manner several of Herndon's allegations concerning Thomas and Nancy Hanks Lincoln have been proved untrue by the actual records brought to light.

The simple facts are that Lincoln's parents, his early life, his education, his courtships and his domestic life were about such as fall to the lot of the average man born, reared and living his adult life in a similar environment. His stories were about such as were told by other frontiersmen, lawyers and politicians in his day, except that Lincoln's were better and more to the point. He might have been a little taller and more homely than most, but if so what of it? There was nothing about all these circumstances to differentiate him from his kind or to explain him. They were the shell of the oyster, but gave no indications of the pearl inside.

Yet there are beautiful things and such as can be spoken of with all propriety and respect in the love affairs and the home life of Abraham Lincoln. His despair at the death of Ann Rutledge, his agony over the "snows beating on her grave," the fears of his friends for his sanity, which went to the length of their taking precautions against his possible suicide—all this presents a touching and pathetic picture.

He was not insensible to feminine charms.

As for the affair with Mary Owens there is nothing in it worthy a passing notice except that it showed a fine sense of honor on the part of Lincoln and an unselfish thoughtfulness for the happiness of his future wife.

About the courtship with the woman he finally married and about his home life with her there has been more or less dispute. Herndon's exploded story that Lincoln ran away on his marriage night has already been mentioned. With quite as much particularity Lamon states that at this time Mr. Lincoln was really in love with a Miss Edwards, who lived in the same house with his fiancee, and that this fact accounts for his dejection, which was then more pronounced than usual, and also for the long delay in his marriage to Miss Todd. So far as the writer is aware no other biographer mentions the alleged infatuation for Miss Edwards.

That Mr. Lincoln was to some extent unhappy in his married life is a fact disputed by none. The degree of this unhappiness has probably been exaggerated. Moreover, there have been so many slighting references to Mrs. Lincoln that I feel like taking up the cudgels in her behalf. That she had a temper is probably true. A temper is not necessarily a bad thing. Mr. Lincoln himself had a prodigious temper when it was aroused. So had Washington. So has every man or woman that amounts to anything.

But there is this much to be said for the wife of Abraham Lincoln. She loved him, as was shown by the fact that she married him despite his long delay. While Herndon's story about the marriage night dereliction is probably untrue, there was some kindred happening at about that time. Another thing that can be said in Mrs. Lincoln's behalf is that she showed enough discrimination to prefer Abraham Lincoln to Stephen A. Douglas. Under the circumstances this required true insight into character. Douglas when he paid court to her was already a great man, which was not so apparent in Lincoln's case. Douglas was brilliant, polished and had a most winning manner, while Lincoln was more or less uncouth and shy in feminine society. Miss Todd was the daughter of a leading man of Kentucky, and thus Douglas belonged to her own social class in those outward things which make up class distinctions, while Lincoln did not. Nevertheless she chose Lincoln. She is entitled to honor for both her vision and her heart.

Miss Todd always said that she would marry a president of the United States. No ordinary woman would have had the courage to say that in the face of the ridicule it would occasion, and no one but a very extraordinary woman would have had the ability to pick the winner.

Is it not just possible that some of Lincoln's biographers have overdrawn his unhappiness at home just as they have unduly emphasized his poverty and have done positive injustice to his father? Is it not possible that there was some resentment due to the fact that Miss Todd belonged to an aristocratic family and did not share her husband's views on slavery? And is it not more than possible that there has been an undue prying into the private affairs of both Mr. Lincoln and his wife?

Lincoln's great love for his children, which caused him to err, if at all, on the side of too great indulgence, would not indicate a wholly unhappy home life. The fact that Mrs. Lincoln was loyal to her husband and his ambition, that she shared his great life, that she bore double sorrows in the death of her sons and his own assassination and that she endured so much abuse from biographers without murmur entitle her to our charity and respect. She was a woman, a wife and mother. She is dead. Common chivalry and common humanity would at least dictate that nothing should be said of her now except in loving tenderness; if not that, silence.

For one I am tired of much of the utterly trivial stuff written about Abraham Lincoln. He was a great enough man to be treated in a great manner. He had an innate dignity and fineness that call for respect from those who would show his true spirit to the world.

His domestic life was utterly white. The same high honor, the same thoughtfulness for the happiness of others, the same patience and forbearance, the same great love nature, are found in his courtships and his home that appear in all his other relations and deeds. He was so much greater than his early environment and associates that there is little gained by dwelling upon them.

Abraham Lincoln as we have come to know him appeals to all men because he is so like what all men want to be. He appeals to all boys because he shows them their possibilities. He appeals to all women because he is so much the lover and because he proves that the strongest manhood may be as tender as the gentlest womanhood.

All his heart attacks came before marriage, which is not invariably the case in these days of affinities and divorce courts.

There must be no mistake made in one regard. Abraham Lincoln was a society man. In Springfield his name was on most of the committees that got up functions, and he was a welcome guest at all houses. The same was true in Washington the two years he served in congress. While he was not exactly a ladies' man for the reason that he was forever telling stories and so got all the men around him, he was not insensible to feminine charms and was as ready to fall in love as any young man with strong passions and an eye for beauty.

This seems so much a matter of course that it is strange Mr. Lincoln's biographers should dwell on it at such length. It is on a par with referring so constantly to his height, to his homeliness and to the fact that he told broad stories. It is as though we should say that Abraham Lincoln is chiefly noted for his ugliness, his love affairs, his risque anecdotes and his great length and not that he is celebrated for liberating a race, for saving a nation, for being merciful, democratic, truth loving and white of soul. In other words, we put forward his nonessentials at the expense of his essentials. We emphasize those things in which he was not distinguished from his kind to the exclusion of those things in which he was so distinguished. Other men have had love affairs not essentially different from those of Lincoln; others have been as ugly or as tall, and others have told as many stories, but nobody else ever issued an emancipation proclamation; no one else ever held together the world's greatest republic in the hour of her supreme trial; no one else, with one exception, ever combined such meekness and greatness, and few others have been more tender hearted.

THE WORD "WINTER."

Said to Have Originally Indicated Wetness, Not Coldness.

There is a prevailing impression that there is something in the word "winter" that signifies cold, and the season is usually associated with the idea of low temperature, but where the word originated there was little of winter as we understand it, while there was a great deal of moisture at the time the earth was nearest to the sun, so that it is not the temperature but the atmospheric condition that has given us the word.

The word "winter," as we use it, is found with but slight modifications in all the branches of the Aryan languages, for the idea of wetness associated with the season was given to it before the Aryan family was divided.

If we go to the root of the word we find "wad," with the signification of to well, to wash out, to moisten or make wet. Our Aryan ancestors used that root to apply to all conditions of moisture, and many words besides winter have grown out of it, wet and water being among them.

This root "wad" is in the Sanskrit as "udan," water. Anglo-Saxon has "waeter," and in Latin we have "unda," wave, from which we get our "inundate."

Our Danish and Swedish cousins changed the "w" into a "v" and have "vinter." In Icelandic it is "vetir," and the old high German has "wintar," and it is "winter" in German. These four words are all from the Teutonic base "wata," which means wet. So it has been moisture that has been indicated from the birth of the root on which all of the different words in a dozen languages have grown.—New York Herald.

CURIOUS FLORIDA HERB.

Red Plant Which Feeds Upon Ants and Other Insects.

Almost everybody knows there are such things as insectivorous or carnivorous plants, but it is doubtful if many know we have any such plants growing right here in southern Florida. Nevertheless there is a plant, or, rather, herb, growing here which is really insectivorous.

It is likely that on account of its being extremely small it has escaped attention. In fact, it seems to have been overlooked by the botanists also, as we are unable to find it classed among the sensitive plants.

This is an annual herb, and the entire plant, including the flowers, is of a deep rich red color. It rarely reached a height of more than three inches and is never so broad. The leaves are spatulate when undisturbed and present many small fibrillae and secrete at their tips a tenacious fluid which is capable of holding the very small insects, such as ants and the like, upon which it feeds. When any of these get lodged in the fluid and disturb these fibrillae the leaves slowly acquire a deep cut shape and sometimes curl completely up over their victim. When they have absorbed the insect they slowly recover their original shape, leaving only the skeleton of the insect remaining.

These plants grow on the very low, flat, poor and sandy lands. They appear in the late winter and early spring months.—Punta Gorda (Fla.) Herald.

The Human Temperature.

Put to the test of the thermometer, it appears that the normal temperature of the body is almost invariable, regardless of latitude or season. Putting the bulb of the thermometer under the tongue of an Eskimo at the frozen north or of a man under the blazing sun of the tropics, we find that in each case, the body being in a state of health, the temperature is about the same, the difference not amounting to a degree. We may say absolutely that the average normal temperature of a human being is about 98.5 degrees F., just as we may say that at sea level water boils at 212 degrees F.—New York American.

Put In More Words.

"Now, Peters," said the teacher, "what is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"Salt," said Peters.

"Next!" said the teacher. "What is it makes the water of the sea so salty?"

"The salty quality of the sea water," answered "Next," "is due to the admixture of a sufficient quantity of chloride of sodium to impart to the aqueous fluid with which it commingles a saline flavor, which is readily recognized by the organs of taste!"

"Right, Next," said the teacher. "Go up one!"

Mutton Birds.

During six weeks every autumn the 400 inhabitants of the Australian Furneaux islands make enough money to support themselves in idleness the rest of the year. They do this by catching the very fat young "mutton birds," which are hatched there in such numbers that the flocks when they migrate extend for miles. They furnish food and oil, which is used for lubricating purposes and also as a substitute for cod liver oil.

Making Sure.

Country Cousin—Are you sure I am in the right train? Town Relative (who has had about enough of it)—Well, I have asked seventeen porters and thirty-two passengers, and they all say "Yes," so I think you'd better risk it.—London Telegraph.

If thou continuest to take delight in idle argumentation thou mayest be qualified to combat with the sophists, but never know how to love with men. —Socrates.

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Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

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RETURNING.

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Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

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RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

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When Waking Up.

Here is a bit of information it will pay you to keep ready for reference, though you will perhaps turn up your nose at it at the first reading: "How to wake up and wake up fully and quickly. Most people prefer not to wake up in the morning—that is, they think of the pleasure there would be in just five minutes' more of sleep if only that alarm clock had not sounded its warning. Of course you have to get up, and if there is really anything that will make the job easier and more pleasant you will want to know about it. Doctors have long ago agreed that dullness on first awakening in the morning is due to sluggish circulation of the blood in the brain. This can be quickly overcome by massaging the neck in the neighborhood of the jugular vein, thus stirring the blood to life and action. Rub your neck well on both sides and drowsiness will leave you. Try it."—New York Times.

Happy Either Way.

The old Duke of Norfolk, who was a very shabby dresser, met a privileged friend in Bond street, London. Said the privileged friend, a military man of the premier duke's own age: "Why, duke, what's come to your clothes? You look as if you had raked over your rag bag to find them!" The duke replied, with a shrug: "What does it matter what I wear here? No one knows me!" A few months later the same friend, himself always a well dressed man, met the duke again, pottering about in the neighborhood of Arundel, the delightful Sussex village under a hill crowned by the castle from whose name the eldest son of a Duke of Norfolk always takes his "courtesy" title—Earl of Arundel. "Why, duke," said his friend again, "what's the matter with your clothes?" The duke shrugged his shoulders again. "What does it matter what I wear here? Every one knows me!"

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SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday after noons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday.) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

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WHEREAS, John H. Roy of Newburgh in the State of New York, executor of the will of Mira E. Pierce, late of Winchester in said County of Middlesex, deceased, has presented to said Court his petition, praying for instructions as to whether certain memoranda annexed to said petition are to be regarded as a part of the will of said deceased, or are to be entirely disregarded by him, and for such other or further decree or order in the premises as may seem meet.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found or by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days, at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR a newspaper published in Winchester the last publication to be seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas J. Choate, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LILLIE F. BUTLER, Admx.
(Address)
18 Hancock Street,
Winchester, Mass.
January 19th, 1909
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James E. Foley, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

CARRIE FOLEY, Admx.
(Address)
15 Hill Street, Winchester.
Winchester, January 13, 1909.
j22,28,f5*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Samuel B. White, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ALFRED S. HALL, Executor.
Winchester, Mass.
January 12, 1909.
j15 15,22,29

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jane Lenfest, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address)
GRANVILLE B. LENFEST, Adm.
Main Street
Winchester, January 22nd, 1909.
j29,f5,12

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George M. Campbell to Frank L. Ferguson and Sumner H. Foster, trustees of the Winchester Associates, dated November 1 1904, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 3137, page 459, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, the sixth day of February, 1909, at three o'clock in the afternoon,

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land situated in Winchester, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a spike at the Northerly corner of Converse place and Main street; thence Northwesterly by Main street about 81 99-100 feet to an iron bolt; thence Northeasterly by land of Brett 63 62-100 feet to an iron bolt; thence Southeasterly by land now or formerly of French 81 82-100 feet to an iron bolt on Converse place; thence Southwesterly by Converse place 56 17-100 feet to the point of beginning; containing about 4923 square feet.

Said premises will be sold subject to all encumbrances of record and to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any.

$300.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

MARY E. CLARKE,
Assignee and present holder of said mortgage.

BENNER & FOSTER, Solicitors,
1317 Old South Building, Boston, Mass.
j15 15,22,29

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Expert advice as to the kind of service best suited to subscribers' needs will be furnished at 119 Milk Street, Boston, Street Floor.

If unable to call in person, telephone (free of charge) to "Fort Hill 7600," and make an appointment for a call from Contract Agent at your office or residence.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company,
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Box 5. Wildwood St., opp. Woodside road.
7. Central Fire Station.
12. Mystic av. cor. Maxwell road.
13. Winchester Manufacturing Co.
14. Bacon street, opp. Lakeview road.
15. McKay. (Private.)
21. Main street, opp. Young & Brown's.
23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24 Mt. Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland aver
33. Washington street, cor. Cross str
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37 Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Holland street.
41. Lake street, cor. Main street."
42. Beggs & Cobbs Tannery. (Private).
43. Main street, cor Salem street.
44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

Two blows dismisses the Department.
Two blows for Test at 7.30 p. m.
333, three times, at 7.50 a.m., no morning session for all grades; at 12.50 p. m., no afternoon session.
Three blows, chimney fires.
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WINCHESTER POSTOFFICE MAIL ARRANGEMENT

ARRIVAL OF MAILS

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Boston—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 2.30, 4.30, 7 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
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Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Ellen Van Volkenburg gave a very entertaining evening at the Calumet Club on Tuesday night before a large audience of members and guests. The evening was the regular monthly ladie's night. Miss Van Volkenburg, who gives interpretations of modern plays, presented Merely Mary Ann as played by Miss Eleanor Robson, and her work met with the universal approval of her audience, the evening being one of the best of the winter. At the close of the entertainment a collation was served in the billiard room.

Mr. Edmund H. Garrett has sent word to friends that he has left Capri, where he was staying at the time of the earthquake, and is now at Amalfi. From there he is going to Naples and Rome.

Mr. Chas. A. Lane will speak at the High school on Tuesday forenoon on coal mining. The talk is to be illustrated by lantern slides.

For your valentines go to Wilson the Stationer's.

The spring bowling tournament at the Calumet Club will begin on Monday next. Ten teams have been entered in the contest and there are six prizes offered. The foul rule is to be observed in this tournament.

Miss Mortensen, Shampooing and Manicuring by appointment. Mme. May's Method. Telephone 453-1 Winchester. Free demonstration to a limited number of persons from Jan. 29th to Feb. 5th. jan22,4t

On the afternoon of Feb. 22nd the Vestments Committee of the Woman's Guild of the Parish of the Epiphany will hold a Children's party in Waterfield hall. There will be games for the younger children from 2 until 4, and dancing for the older children from 4 until 6. The committee in charge is composed of Mrs. Walter Cummings, Mrs. T. B. Cotter, Mrs. F. D. Cleveland, Mrs. M. B. May, Mrs. W. C. Sache, and Miss Grace Lawrence, assisted by Mrs. Louis Barta and Mrs. George Hawley.

For Sale—a fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and reironed. Price $60. Address 7 Washington street. ja22,tf

Puffs made from combings, 25 cents each, at Mrs. Doherty's. Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Bld. Tel. 322-3 Woburn, Mass.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

Mr. George A. Fernald has returned from a western trip.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton of the First Congregational Church has started a class of boys and girls in the small vestry of the church at four o'clock on Wednesday afternoons.

Shrubs, Trees, Vines and Rosebushes. We grow them, sell them and plant them. California Privet and Berberis Thunbergii for hedging one of our specialties.
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On Wednesday evening several prominent men of the town, who during the baseball season of last year were most enthusiastic over the Winchester baseball team's success, met in the General Committee room at the Town Hall and talked over the prospects of the coming season. It was decided to form an association, which will be known as the Winchester Baseball Association. Success is assured the Association, and when the meeting adjourned everybody went away enthused with a spirit which will be kept alive until the season begins.

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This is a particularly opportune time to buy Winchester real estate, because the town is no doubt destined to have a remarkable growth during the next few years.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

We publish this week the first of four essays, written in competition for the $10 prize offered by The Fortnightly to the High School scholars. Published at this time they will doubtless receive the attention of all readers of the STAR as illustrative of the work of the High School pupils in this direction.

Mrs. Sayward of Dix street entertained at whist on Wednesday.

What is the matter with Boston and Massachusetts? Too much knocking at the railroads—both steam and electric—by the Legislature.

At the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Flint of Reading last week Thursday evening, Mr. J. O. Sanborn of this town was one of the ushers and Mrs. O. C. Sanborn, also of this town, poured.

Mr. Lewis Parkhurst was one of the [illegible] banquet of Dartmouth A[illegible] ation at Hotel Somerset, Boston, last Friday evening.

The Shakespeare Club will meet on Monday with Mrs. Robert Smith, Fletcher street.

Switches made from combing $1.00 to $1.50 at Mrs. Doherty's. Rooms 8 and 9, Post Office Bldg., Woburn, Mass.

On Saturday, Jan. 23, in Woburn Unitarian Vestry, occurred the first of a series of Lewis pupil's musicales, at four o'clock on the fourth Saturday of four months. After pieces played by Woburn and Winchester pupils of Mrs. Lewis, Mr. Lewis gave a synopsis of the history of music from the beginning up to about 1700, when the harpsichord and the clavichord were the "piano" instruments. Mr. Lewis and an advanced pupil played pieces by Paumann (1453), Frescobaldi, Froberger, Scarlatti, Bach, and Handel. The next talk will be on the development of musical form, illustrated by selections from Hadyn, Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert, etc.

When you want the best in ice cream and home made candies just call at Covel's.

Mr. Frank Rand, formerly of Wildwood street, spent Friday with friends in Winchester.

The physicians of this town met on Saturday evening to discuss the new hospital plans.

For your valentines go to Wilson the Stationer's.

Sanderson, Electrician. Tel. 355-2.

Rev. and Mrs. W. I. Lawrance have announced through their Church Calendar that they will be at home to all who care to come, at the Ladies' Parlor of the Unitarian Church, on next Friday, February 5 both afternoon and evening. They wish to say through the STAR that the invitation includes not only members of the Unitarian Parish, but friends in all the churches. No formal or direct invitations have been or will be issued. All who attend may be sure of a cordial welcome.

Mrs. Doherty, expert Chiropodist; Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Bld. Tel. 322-3. Woburn, Mass.

Mrs. George A. Fernald has been on the list of sufferers from the grip.

When Uneeda lunch you need Covel's ice cream.

The warrant for the annual town meeting will close on Monday evening, Feb. 15th, at 8 o'clock. All articles to be inserted therein must be in the hands of the Selectmen by that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beohner of Billerica, formerly of this town, are the proud parents of a son, born Saturday, Jan. 16th.

The Calumet Club invitation to attend open house on Saturday evening at the Auction sale of seats is intended for you and a good time is assured.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The funeral of Mrs. Betsy A. Bradbury took place last Sunday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert S. Underwood, on Central street. Rev. John W. Suter, rector of The Church of the Epiphany, conducted the service. Burial was in Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smith are in New York for ten days, where they are visiting Mr. Smith's sister, Mrs. Frank Wilkins.

Auction sale of seats for the Calumet Show on Saturday evening. Orchestra, lunch and a general good time, don't miss it.

Mrs. L. R. Walls entertained a few friends at whist last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. George S. Cabot, Supt. of the Sunday School of the First Congregational Church was one of a number of Sunday School workers who tendered Supt. B. F. Kimball of the North Congregational Church, Woburn, a banquet last Saturday evening. He has been superintendent for 20 years.

Scientific scalp treatment at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Building, Woburn, Mass. Tel. 322-3.

The Shakespeare Club met with Mrs. John Page on Bacon street Monday afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Winchester Country Club was held on Monday evening, the new officers elected being the list of nominations published last week. The meeting voted to raise the initiation fee for resident membership to $20 and for special membership to $10.

May White Tedford, reader and entertainer, will give private lessons in elocution and dramatic work. Call or address 6 Herrick street. js-4t

Look! Covel's homemade candies made fresh every day.

Mr. Edward F. Jones of Syracuse, N. Y., a former resident of Winchester, spent Tuesday evening in town as the guest of Mr. Charles A. Lane.

Thunder was heard last Sunday during one of the most remarkable days, even for New England. There was snow, rain, hail and sleet during the day.

Beware of the grip and colds, by protecting your feet. There is considerable sickness in town from these causes.

Who are your candidates for Selectmen? The Caucus will be here in a little over two weeks.

Winchester Clothes Cleansing Co., 626 Main street. Tel. 284-1.

That terminus of the Boston & Northern and the Elevated at Medford has come to the front again. Medford is now the prime mover, probably owing to the desertion of its square since the new rule went into effect.

Mr. J. W. Davis, an experienced band leader has been secured as the new director of the Winchester Band. The Band officers, who have had full charge of the Band since its organization, regret very much the loss of the services of their former director, but are pleased at securing Mr. Davis, and at the interest shown by the members.

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

Agreements have been signed through the office of Sewall E. Newman for the sale of the new house recently completed by Mr. Geo. H. S. Driver, on Fenwick road. The name of the purchaser is withheld for the present.

Wedgemere colony of Pilgrim Fathers entertained a large gathering of members and friends in Lyceum hall Monday evening at a "Fluffy Ruffles" party. Dancing was under the direction of James H. McLellan, assisted by Miss Mary Holland, Miss Gertrude Donovan, Miss Annie Carney, John H. Holland, William H. Vayo and James H. Roach.

Carroll Hilton, son of Irvin Hilton of Stratford road, is ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Edward J. Johnson of Highland avenue, who has been in New Mexico several months, visiting her son, is returning home next week.

Mr. P. G. Gray is at Las Vegas, Nev., visiting his son, Rev. Harry Gray.

Miss Katherine McCall, who is attending a young ladies school in Cambridge, is making her home for the winter with the family of Rev. George H. Gutterson in Rangeley.

County Commissioner Samuel O. Upham, was 85 years old last week and was presented with a handsome loving cup by his associates at the Court House in East Cambridge. A man cannot be too old to serve on the Board of County Commissioners. It is about time Mr. Upham gave way for a younger man.

The hearing on bill to prohibit compulsory vaccination will take place before the Public Health Committee of the Mass. Senate and House of Representatives, in Room 240, the State House, Boston, on Tuesday next, February 2nd, 1909, at 10.30 a. m.

Try Covel for strictly pure ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. O. Punchard and daughter, Miss Emma, spent several days last week in New Hampshire enjoying the winter sports.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Master Frank Gerlach has been promoted to Captain of Mitchell's Military school.

Miss Phyllis Swazey came home Friday night and spent Sunday with her parents on Norwood street.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. McDonald of 5 Bennett street, Woburn, Monday celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. William E. McDonald of Woburn and Marietta B. Paine of Winchester were married the 23rd of January, 1884 by Rev. Daniel March. They have since made their home in Woburn where Mr. McDonald has conducted the business of razor strop making on a large scale.

The Knights of Columbus are to hold a banquet on the evening of [illegible] in Lyceum Hall.

The next [illegible] "house hunting" [illegible] mistake [illegible] George Adams Woods.

Mrs. Hazeltine who is stopping with Mrs. Geary on Sheffield Road, fell on the ice Wednesday evening and broke her wrist.

Mrs. Emma Hodges returned last week from her home in New York and is with her mother Mrs. Chas. French on Allen street, who is ill.

Mrs. Henry Hubbard is spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. John Boyce, who had a bad fall on the ice, is able to be about again.

Mrs. Currie of Clematis street is ill with the grip. Mrs. Brainerd Coffin of Fairmount street and Mrs. Fogg of Fairmount street and Mrs. Fogg of Brookside avenue are also sufferers from the same complaint.

The money contributions received for the January social of the First Congregational church amounted to $75, which will be used to refurnish the kitchen.

The men of the Second Congregational church will hold a social this (Friday) evening. Tickets 25 cents.

Miss Hattie Snow, the piano teacher, will give a public recital by her pupils at the Methodist church, Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren C. Sanborn are in New York this week.

WANTED—Four people with $500 each to join a syndicate with other Winchester men in the purchase of a piece of property. See what they can give you. Address E, Star office.

A PIANO OPPORTUNITY.

Those of our readers who are contemplating the purchase of a piano will do well to attend the annual factory clearance sale of the Ivers & Pond Piano Co. at their extensive factory, Cor. Main and Albany streets, Cambridge, or to send for a list of bargains. Over 100 used pianos of various makes are being disposed of at a fraction of their real value. Easy payment plans to suit all purses. Catalogue and bargain list may be had by writing the Ivers & Pond Piano Co., Main and Albany streets, Cambridge, Mass.

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At F. J. BOWSER'S, 7 PLEASANT STREET.

All our children's bear skin coats and bonnets are half price.

Ladies,' misses,' boys' and infants' sweaters marked down.

Childrens' white wool vests and pants just half price.

Boys' grey wool shirts and drawers half price.

Ladies' $1 wool vests and pants for 50c.

Great mark-down in ladies' silk scarfs.

Ladies' black jersey leggings marked down

Children's and infants' jersey leggings and drawer leggings marked down.

One lot of infants' white and colored fur trimmed mittens for 10c.

Infants' night drawers only 15c.

All our toys, dolls, books and games are half price.

All our Christmas china, pincushions and novelties are half price to close.

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Face of Rump to roast,	18c lb	Forequarters,	10c lb
A good roast,	12c lb	Kidney Chops.	25c lb
Best Rump Steak,	30c lb	Rib Chops,	20c lb
Top of Round Steak,	23c lb	A good Lamb Chop.	15c lb
Sirloin Steak,	25c lb	Pieces for Stewing,	8c lb
Hamburger Steak,	10c lb		
Corned Beef Tongue,	12c lb		

PORK

Fresh, Corned and Smoked Shoulders,	8c lb	Boiled Hams,	25c lb
Whole Hams,	13c lb	Bacon by the Strip,	15c lb
Sliced Ham,	18c lb	Pork Steak,	10c lb

We carry a line of FRESH FISH, OYSTERS and CLAMS.
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SPECIAL SALE OF CRACKERS

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Fancy Sweet Corn 9c Can Peas 12c Can Tomatoes 14c
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A fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and reironed. Price $60. Address 7 Washington street. ja22,tf

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Protestant general maid in small family; must understand plain cooking. Apply at 13 Norwood street. ja29it

WANTED.

At 5 Sheffield road, a general maid. No washing. ja29

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A young American widow lady of refinement and experience would like a position as companion or housekeeper in widower's or aged person's home. Best of references given. Address Star office, B. T. ja29it*

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Town Clerk Carter, as a voter of Winchester, has issued a call for a citizens' caucus for the nomination of town officers, to take place in the Town Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 18, at 7.30 o'clock. As in previous years a ballot will be prepared by the Town Clerk containing the names of all candidates. Names for this ballot must be handed in to the Town Clerk on or before 9 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, Feb. 17. All names so received will be placed upon one ballot which will be the only form of ballot to be used at the caucus. Nomination and certificate blanks can now be had by applying to the Town Clerk. Every person whose term of office expires in March, and who desires re-election, must send in their name before the expiration of the time stated above. Names of candidates for the vacancies on the Board of Selectmen are beginning to arrive at the STAR office. In addition to William C. Newell, Frank A. Cutting, W. F. Prime, come the names of Addison R. Pike, Charles E. Corey, H. Douglass Campbell, P. G. Gray, John T. Cosgrove, Thomas B. Cotter, W. M. Belcher, Geo. B. Smith, Geo. A. Barron, J. P. Boutwell, James Nowell.

So that it will be seen that there may be plenty of candidates to select from at the caucus.

There are three candidates for the three positions on the School Board—C. E. L. Wingate, Prof. Currier and M. B. May. Messrs. Wingate and May are at present serving on the Board filling out the unexpired terms of Messrs. Means and Odlin, while Prof. Currier will return to the Board after a year's absence. This ought to be a good team, and as there appears to be no opposition their nomination and election is assured.

Strong efforts are being made to cause Mr. Dwinell to withdraw his determination not to be a candidate for selectman. Mr. Dwinell believes that if a man accepts office he should be prepared to do his full duty regardless of personal sacrifices, and as at the present time he does not think that he will be able to give so freely of his time as in past years because of a contemplated absence from town for at least a part of the present year, he does not believe he should be a candidate. However, the citizens would be greatly pleased if he would again allow the use of his name.

Many cities are coming to the conclusion that a distinct gain would be made if members of the Board of Selectmen were elected for a period of three years, rather than the present custom of giving one year terms. There is a great deal of truth in this, for if by chance (by no means improbable) all the members of the Board of Selectmen should decline a re-election, then it would put town affairs in bad shape for at least a portion of a year. This year three members have expressed a desire to retire, and, it is said, another member wanted to, but he did not think it would be right to withdraw and leave but one old member to take up the work now under contemplation for next year. Whether this matter of increasing the term to three years will come up at the present time is not known, but nevertheless the point raised that town affairs are liable to suffer by an entire board withdrawing, appears to be a good one.

FOR TREE WARDEN.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I wish to bring forward the name of Mr. J. O. Howard for the office of Tree Warden. During the present and past years he has been filling the office of Superintendent and has practically had charge of the entire work. The reasons I advance for his promotion to this office are: that he thoroughly understands the work through long training; that if elected he can always be found in town when wanted, which is not the case at the present time; and this matter has been of long continued annoyance and disappointment to many citizens, who seek information; that he knows how to handle the men, and that he would know what they are doing by being with them while at work. By electing Mr. Howard the town can save money, and it is believed get more satisfactory results.

PROPERTY OWNER.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I notice in last week's edition that some friend suggests my name for Selectman this year. I am obliged to be away a large part of the time this season, therefore cannot possibly give the time that a a Selectman ought to give to his duties.

I would suggest the name of Thomas Quigley, jr. He is an employer of labor and is always in town. He will be a first class man on the highway committee and a great help in the management of the affairs of the town.

FRANK A. CUTTING.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The regular meeting of the local Union will be held Friday, Feb. 12, at 3 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. G. H. Hamilton, 30 Vine street. Falling as it does on the centenary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the program will be devoted to a consideration of the Emancipator. Members are requested also to bring thimbles. Work will be provided.

MR. ALBERT E. BROWN

Is the new Soloist and Director of Music at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Brown is instructor of music in the public schools. He is considered one of the ablest instructors in this part of the State.

"ISLE OF BAMBOO."

Successful Sale of Seats Last Saturday Evening.

Last Saturday evening at the Calumet Club on the occasion of the auction sale of the seats for its annual show, which this year is an operetta entitled the "Isle of Bamboo," the management received about $1000. Fully 200 persons were present, Mr. Frank L. Ripley auctioning off the seats at premiums ranging from $11 to 25 cents. The club expects to have no difficulty in disposing of 1000 seats, some 444 being taken Saturday evening. Mr. Jere A. Downs had the distinction of paying the highest price for his choice of two seats, they costing him $25. Other gentlemen were close seconds in the bidding. During the evening a collation was served to those attending the sale.

"CANDIDA."

The literary "talk" on Thursday, Jan. 28, was largely attended by members of The Fortnightly. Many felt that great good might be gained from the study of a play which had been more or less familiar to all as given by Miss Grace Chamberlain in her most interesting recital.

Mr. Brown gave a short sketch of Bernard Shaw's life, speaking of him as a Fabian Socialist, a man of singularly abstemious life, and one whose aim in life was the removal of every block to human progress. His presentation of the character of the Rev. James Novell is regarded as a most generous one, giving him all the external graces of manner and appearance, eloquent, handsome, lovable, while underneath all is the weak creature whose work is effective only through the constant ministration of his clever and capable wife who is mother, sister, wife and mother of his children in one. Much time was given to the analysis of Eugene Marchbank's character and Candida's decision to remain with her husband as a result of the purely helpful instinct which seems to actuate her throughout, his poverty of spirit and character appealing to her maternal love as Marchbanks, outwardly so destitute, could not do. But living as the poet did in the realm of imagination, he was infinitely richer in things that really count than his apparently wealthy and prosperous rivals.

As heretofore the audience argued many points most vigorously with Mr. Brown, and the interest in these talks is shown to be of a most gratifying character.

Maeterlinck's "Joyzelle" was considered yesterday.

CITIZENS' CEBEBRATION OF LINCOLN DAY.

Winchester will observe Lincoln Day by a Citizens' Meeting in the Town Hall Friday evening, February 12, at 8 o'clock. The chairman of the Board of Selectmen will preside and the address will be delivered by the Rev. George H. Gutterson. Singing will be in charge of Mr. Albert E. Brown, Supervisor of Music in the schools and will be rendered by a chorus of pupils of the schools. The churches of Winchester are asked to take notice of this announcement and to call attention to the celebration, next Sunday.

PRIZES IN POSTER CONTEST AWARDED.

Last Saturday evening the show committee of the Calumet club made its award in the prize poster contest for the "Isle of Bamboo." The posters submitted were taken before the committee which made it's award solely upon the merits of the work as an advertising poster.

Four prizes were awarded as follows: First, Agnes Cullen, $3; second, Stephen Oisy, $3; third, Barbara Pratt, $2; fourth, George F. Adams, $1.50.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

From the report of the State Board of Education of the school year 1907-8:

Winchester ranks fifty-seventh in the amount of money expended for the support of the public schools per child in comparison with other town and cities. The following suburban communities rank higher: Milton, seventh; Newton, fifteenth; Lexington, twenty-second; Hyde Park, forty-second; Dedham, forty-ninth; Belmont, fifty-first; and Arlington, fifty-fourth.

Expenditures have been: for fuel and care of buildings $7,556.35 for text-books and supplies, $2,803.70; for school sundries, $2,207.79; and salary of superintendent, $2,300.

BAROMETER OF SCHOOL EXPENDITURES.

The following figures show the record of the Town of Winchester for twenty-five years in the amount of money expended for the support of the public schools per child in comparison with other towns and cities:

Year		Year	
1883—4	11	1896—7	24
1884—5	13	1897—8	51
1885—6	5	1898—9	36
1886—7	9	1899—0	26
1887—8	25	1900—1	30
1888—9	21	1901—2	57
1889—0	23	1902—3	74
1890—1	40	1903—4	45
1891—2	37	1904—5	45
1892—3	36	1905—6	52
1893—4	40	1906—7	46
1894—5	25	1907—8	57
1895—6	28		

VESPER SERVICE.

For the monthy Vesper Service at the First Congregational Church at 4.30 p. m. Sunday Feb. 7th, the choir will be assisted by The Carolyn Belcher String Quartet in rendering a service commemorative of the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Felix Mendelssohn—Bartholdy, from whose works have been taken the musical numbers to be used at this service. A most cordial invitation to attend is extended to all. Doors open at 4 p. m.

Following is the order of the musical numbers:

Organ Prelude Con moto maistoso—Andante tranquillo Third Sonata
String Quartet Andante Quartet in E minor
Motelt for Soprano and chorus Hear My Prayer
Violin Solo Andante from Violin Concerto
String Quartet Nocturne Midsummer Night's Dream
Choral Response
Response Cast Thy Burden on the Lord, with violin obligato from Elijah
Offertory String Quartet Song without Words No. 4.
Chorus How Lovely are the Messengers from St. Paul
Organ Postlude Priests' March from Athalia

MR. HORATIO BARNARD.

Mr. Horatio Barnard, aged 81 years, died at the home of his nephew, Mr. E. Lawrence Barnard, on Vine street, last Friday. He was a farmer by occupation and a native of Andover. For the past year he had made his home in this town. The burial was at West Andover.

"ISLE OF BAMBOO" SALE OF SEATS.

The balance of seats not sold at Saturday night's auction are now on sale at Abare's and Knight's drug stores.

This notice is given in this public manner that all may have the same opportunity in selecting seats.

A SHIP WRECK "ON THE ISLE OF BAMBOO."

The fame that attaches to the annual show of the Calumet Club, the only organization that can share with the Newtown club of Cambridge theatrical honors, is certainly to receive a new impetus this year in the presentation of the club's most ambitious effort up to date, a comedy in music, mirth and dancing, such as never before staged in Winchester.

The show opens with a scene supposed to be the annual meeting of the Calumet Club, and a discussion follows as to the most suitable place to hold the annual outing. The final vote reveals the fact that a majority desire a trip abroad. In the first act, the club members are on the deck of an ocean steamer, 10 days out of Boston. Terrifying storms arise and continue until the vessel strikes a rock, the ship is wrecked, and after many heroic adventures, the entire membership is landed in safety in the Isle of Bamboo, one of the Cannibal Isles, and upon this island, as can well be imagined, begins the "strenuous life".

In the party is a young lieutenant, who has taken passage in order to visit his ship, then supposed to be cruising in Southern waters and it is this, his ship, that saves our members after a series of blood freezing, but marvelous escapes from the tortures of the natives.

Dr. J. Churchill Hindes assumes the role of president of the club; George E. Willey, the Mighty King of Bamboo; Arthur W. Hugely, the lieutenant; J. W. Russell, Jr., the Irish steward; F. N. Kerr, a Jew looking for business; George B. Davis, Sara, an old maid, but quite well to do; J. E. Kinsley, a stern and hearty bo'sen; a man always on deck. Howard Snelling, captain of a company of cadets, who startle the natives; E. B. Badger, 2nd captain of the ill-fated ship.

Miss Ruth Sleeper is the leading lady, her part giving her a splendid opportunity for display, while Miss Margaret Hunt, as the soubrette will add greatly to the cast.

The general chorus comprises 50 stars.

The tourist girls, the old-fashioned girls, yachting and flower girls, the warriers and the sailors are so enchanting to the natives, that they are allowed perfect freedom on the Isle of Bamboo, and will in turn take a Winchester audience through those thrilling and wonderful experiences with the Cannibals which will be an occasion long to be remembered.

THE BUSINESS OF MINING COAL.

On Tuesday morning last, Mr. Charles A. Lane took an hour from selling coal to tell how it is mined and prepared for the market. The high school assembly hall was filled with the pupils and their friends and the lecture was greatly appreciated.

By one of those mishaps which will occasionally happen in this world, the slides, although selected and ordered in ample time, were delayed. It seemed best to go on with the program and with the aid of a map of the coal region, a large picture of a coal breaker, and numerous samples of varieties of coal, the extent, importance and interest of the industry were fully explained. Mr. Lane is a clear speaker, and spoke from personal knowledge gained in several visits to the largest mines in the anthracite region. He held the close attention of his hearers and at the close was warmly thanked for his kindness.

Fortunately the slides arrived in the afternoon and in consequence the pupils enjoyed a double treat as pictures illustrating the scenes so graphically described the day before were shown on Wednesday morning.

It was felt by the school authorities that the lecture was so thoroughly educative that Mr. Lane was persuaded to repeat it this morning for the benefit of the pupils in the Wadleigh and Prince schools together with many visitors.

This is the third in the fourth annual series arranged by Principal Lovering for the High School pupils. These occasions give a variety to the usual work of the High School and bring our young men and women into touch with the broader education than cannot be had from books.

The Men's supper at the Second Congregational Church Friday evening was an enjoyable and very successful affair. An interesting program was given by local and Boston talent and it is hoped another will be given at a later date. Among the participants were Miss Ellis and Miss Carter, elocutionists, Mr. Dean a singer and, Mr. Harold Bridges, whistler. The amount realized was ver $30.

THE "VINCENT GIRLS"

Hold Second Annual Dancing Party.

Lyceum Hall was the scene of a pretty Dancing Party last Wednesday evening, the event being the Second Annual Dancing Party given by the "Vincent Girls," the proceeds of which are donated to St. Mary's Benevolent Society.

Many friends of the young ladies were present from Woburn, Medford, Arlington and Stoneham.

The Hall was tastefully decorated with festoons of pink entwined with evergreen. The stage was banked with palms and potted plants, behind which the orchestra furnished music for dancing.

The dancing was in charge of the following young ladies:—Helen Doherty, Elizabeth Cullen, Agnes O'Leary, Emily Dowd, Annie Donahue, Margaret O'Loughlin, Margaret Walsh, Grace Doherty, Gertrude Kelcher, Annie O'Leary, Alice Sullivan, Susie Mawn, Agnes O'Hara, Mabel Coty, Margaret Cullen, Grace Davis, Rose Doherty, Edith Curry, Lucy Hargrove, Annie Glendon, Belle Walsh, Amy Noonan, Mary Boyle, Josephine Hargrove, Nora O'Loughlin, Fabiola Gendron, Mary Doherty, Katherine Maguire, Lillian Kane, Christina McNulty, Mary Cosgrove, Helen Sullivan, May O'Leary.

McCALL—GARDNER.

Miss Charlotte Riggs Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gardner of Evanston, Ill., was married to Sumner Thompson McCall, eldest son of Congressman and Mrs. Samuel Walker McCall on Wednesday evening. The ceremony was followed by a reception an hour later to which 400 guests had been bidden. It took place at the home of the bride's parents.

The house with the exception of the dining room, was decorated with white roses and southern smilax. The dining room had a decoration of easter lillies.

Rev. William T. McElveen was the officiating clergyman and the bridal party was composed of Miss Ancinette Gardner, a sister of the bride, maid of honor; Miss Olive Gardner and Miss Ruth McCall, the latter the bridegroom's sister, bridesmaids; Henry McCall, best man; Miss Willamine Gardner and Miss Hester Malrath, ribbon bearers.

The bride wore white satin, with rose point lace and pearl trimmings. Her tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas and white orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. McCall left for the West, where they will enjoy a honeymoon of a few weeks.

WOMEN IN INDUSTRY.

Last Sunday at the usual noon hour the Business Men's Sunday Noon Conference began the study and discussion of "Women in Industry," as the speaker had been unable to begin the series of talks before, as had been arranged and announced in the STAR.

Last Sunday Carrie E. Small of Boston, however, most certainly made up for the two Sunday's. Her presentation of the subject was a rare treat. She showed an intimate knowledge born of long study, of the subject. The men who didn't hear Miss Small missed something, surely. One has no idea how interesting this subject is, especially in its close relation to abuse of child labor.

Every man should spend the Sunday noon hour with the conference and make himself familiar with this interesting discussion, especially to take advantage of this unusual opportunity to listen to Miss Small. She is an expert. It is a pleasure to listen to her.

Miss Small will continue her talk for two or three Sundays more. Every man in Winchester who pretends to keep up with the times, or who has any interest in the welfare of the women of this state and country should be sure and take part in this Sunday Noon Conference at the First Baptist Chapel.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

February 1st, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m.

Present Messrs. Dwinell, Richards, Barnard and Winn.

Voted to hold a public meeting on the evening of February 12th next in celebration of Lincoln's birthday, under the auspices of the Selectmen.

Received petition signed by John A. Hall and others for a light corner of Baldwin and Holton streets. Referred to Supt. of Streets.

Received and placed on file report of Chief of Police for month of January together with list of defective lights.

Warrants drawn for $748.37 and $5921.65.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

THE SCHOOLS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The following quotations are from statements made to me by teachers who have lately left Winchester:—

"Dissatisfaction" was one of the causes which led me to leave Winchester. Were I to attempt to express that dissatisfaction in a word, I would say that the teachers were overworked and over-supervised.

"The wish to better my surroundings, with increased salary, was the cause of my leaving. Since being here I can of course see the great difference, the many opportunities presented to teachers for broadening themselves and thus aiding their classes.

"Dissatisfaction was a prominent reason for my leaving Winchester. The difficulty did not arise under the present superintendent and school committee, however. Reasons were misrepresentation of salaries, the few comfortable or home-like boarding places, the attitude of the pupils toward the teachers."

"I left Winchester because I was offered a position which, though of the same rank as the one I had in Winchester, gave promise of wider opportunity for me and of more thorough conscientious work from the pupils. I was glad to go with only the hope of better things. My hope has been realized."—"I have found in the pupils here those qualities that I expect to find in boys and girls and that I found only occasionally in Winchester: a desire to learn, not simply to get good marks; a willingness to do cheerfully and without grumbling the work assigned, even though it may be hard and long and different from anything they have done before; an appreciation of the effort made to help them; in short, except in a few rare cases, a friendly pulling together of teacher and pupil up the road."—"Indifference and unresponsiveness on the part of the pupils are, I should say, two important causes of the dearth of satisfactory results in Winchester. The pupils are unwilling to work. They do not want to maintain a high standard of scholarship; consequently they resent any attempt to make them think."——"Back of the indifference, the unappreciativeness of the children, is the very evident lack of co-operation on the part of most parents. The school offers a sufficient number of courses to prepare pupils for college. There is no reason why pupils should fit elsewhere or why, except from lack of ability, they should fail in their examinations. They can be fitted in Winchester.——Then, too, secret societies, especially in a small town, have a pernicious influence."

JOHN W. SUTER.

BOAT CLUB STEWARD DEAD.

The numerous friends of James Cooper, who was the steward at the Winchester Boat Club last season, will be shocked to learn of his recent death at Portsmouth, N. H., as the result of a gun shot wound. Upon the termination of Mr. Cooper's services in this town he went to the Isles of Shoals and took charge of the Appledore House for the winter. He had a small motor boat at his disposal and was in the habit of occasionally going out in it about the islands shooting. While on one of these trips with his son, his gun was accidentally discharged while getting into the boat, it being very cold at the time, and one of Mr. Cooper's hands was practically blown off.

There appears to have been considerable delay in caring for the wound, and instead of applying a tourniquet, he and his son bandaged it as best they could. It was necessary to procure another larger boat to go to the mainland, five miles away, and by the time the trip to the Portsmouth hospital was made Mr. Cooper was very near death from loss of blood. At the hospital what was left of his hand was amputated and every thing done to save his life, but he did not rally and died soon after.

During his stay in this town Mr. Cooper made many warm friends, all of whom are deeply grieved over his death.

TIMOTHY C. MURPHY.

Timothy C. Murphy, aged 83 years, died at his home No. 32 Cedar street, on Tuesday of heart trouble. He leaves three sons. Mr. Murphy was born in Ireland and had been a respected citizens of this town for the past 40 years. He was employed for many year in the Waldmyer tannery, which formerly stood opposite the railroad station, and later on the highway Dept. of the town.

Funeral services, conducted by Fr. Francis E. Rogers, were held at St. Mary's Church on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The pall bearers were Miles Reagan, Michael and William Hevey, and Patrick Lydon of Woburn. The burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

HISTORY OF WINCHESTER.

ELISABETH COIT, W. H. S. '09.

The following is the second of the series of four compositions written by High school scholars in competition for the prize offered by The Fortnightly.

The driver of the old stage coach drew up before an inn, from which hung a creaking sign, labelled "Ye Black Horse Tavern." The door of the inn opened and let a flood of light stream out to the road, disclosing a man who was climbing down from the stage. Mine host, who had appeared in the doorway, shouted some words of farewell to the coach, and then turned to welcome the traveller. He was led into the low-studded room, made cheerful by the immense fire that crackled and snapped in the large open fireplace. After he had seated himself comfortably before his supper, he turned to the landlord and asked for his companionship. The landlord was nothing loath, and, drawing up a chair, prepared to entertain the stranger.

"So you never was in these parts afore?" he questioned.

"Never," was the reply. "I don't even know in just what town I am?"

"Well," answered mine host leaning back as if he had started on a lengthy story, "it ain't been south Woburn for so long, neither. Since the railroad was started in eighteen thirty-five — seven years ago—we've called it that; but before then it was just Waterfield, and before *then* Charlestown."

"How long has this Tavern been here?" asked the stranger.

"Jest one hundred years," answered the landlord proudly. "Yes, sir, she was the headquarters for the minute men, back in seventeen seventy-five. But even before she was built, there was a settlement here. The first person who lived hereabouts was an old Indian, Squaw Sachem, they called her. She lived up on the hill back of the lakes; and her husband lived on another hill near her. Most likely they would flag at each other—it seemed to be a good arrangement having them separated, anyways. Ebenezer Converse was the first white settler here. He came from England in sixteen-thirty and moved here in sixteen forty-two. He built a mill down on the Aberjona."

"What a curious name that is—the Aberjona?" said the man.

"Yes," replied the landlord." "There is some Indian legend about a girl of that name who was drowned there. But you ought to ask John Symmes about it. His ancestors settled here almost as soon as Converse came."

The innkeeper might have continued his narrative for some time longer, but the traveller asked to be shown to his room, as his slow, jolting ride from Boston in the wornout stage coach had tired him.

The garrolous host of The Black Horse Tavern had more changes to see in his town before many years passed. In eighteen hundred and forty-eight, four years after his conversation, the inhabitants of South Woburn sent a petition to the legislature that they might be incorporated as a town. Winchester was chosen as a name out of regard to Colonel William P. Winchester, a prominent citizen of Boston. A long and stormy debate ensued about the incorporation; but finally the petition was granted on April thirtieth, eighteen hundred and fifty. Soon afterwards Colonel Winchester presented the town with three thousand dollars towards the erection of a town hall.

Winchester increased steadily from this time. There was a project, about eighteen hundred and eighty, of running a new railroad through the town, this railroad to be called the Boston and Mystic Valley. This, however, was never completed. The relics of the railroad, together with the remains of an old canal, that ran from Lowell, may still be seen.

At this time, also, a great excitement was raised about the discovery of a silver mine in the Middlesex Fells. The first ton of silver ore mined there was said to be worth eight dollars; but later the value of the ore became forty dollars a ton. But the mine failed to be as productive as was thought, and nothing further was done to it. When walking through the Fells, if you should stumble upon something that looks more or less like an ash pit, you may be sure that you have found the old silver mine.

In eighteen hundred and eighty-one The Fortnightly of Winchester was founded. The meetings were in Harmony Hall, so-called, and were at first attended by about sixty members. The number has since then increased to three hundred and eighty-nine.

Winchester has done much to accentuate the naturally beautiful location in which she is. Wide roads, good lights and excellent public buildings have aided the general appearance of the town. The newest erection is that of the High School which was completed in nineteen hundred and four. The rooms of this building have been filled with statues and pictures which have been given by many of the inhabitants of Winchester.

MINER WON ROLL-OFF.

The roll-off of the three men tied for the prize for the high single string in the Winter bowling tournament at the Calumet club was held at the club house on Saturday evening, witnessed by a large gathering of bowlers. Each of the three men in the tie were obliged to bowl three strings, the honors going to Mr. Benj. F. Miner, who defeated his nearest competitor eight pins on the total, after tieing him for the high single in his second string.

The results were as follows:

	Gross	H'c'p	Net.
B. F. Miner	98	7	91
	105	7	98
	91	7	84
Total	294	21	273
Geo. W. Annin	105	15	90
	86	15	71
	95	15	80
	286	45	241
D. Nelson Skillings	87	8	79
	84	8	76
	92	8	84
	263	24	239

The N. E. Sabbath Protective League have adopted resolutions opposing the extension of commercial enterprises or public amusements on Sundays, condemning Sunday newspapers, favoring Monday as the weekly holiday for schools instead of Saturday, and in general urging a more rigid observance of Sunday. But why Monday in preference to Saturday for closing schools? The League should have about all it can attend to in looking after Sunday and not attempting to regulate the other six days of the week.

The legislature has been petitioned by the Metropolitan Water Board for permission to allow gulls and certain kinds of ducks, which congregate by the thousand in the Spot Pond Reservoir, Stoneham, to be shot during certain months. The Commission also asks for a motor boat with which to patrol the pond. What's the matter with a steamboat and all the "fixins" to make the sport complete.

SEAL OF THE TOWN OF WINCHESTER MASS. WATERFIELD 1638 WINCHESTER 1850

Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting,

Monday, March 1st,

Will be closed

MONDAY EVENING. Feb. 15th, at 8 o'clock.

And all articles to be inserted therein must be in the hands of the Selectmen by that time.

GEORGE H. LOCHMAN,
Clerk of Board of Selectmen.

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SPRING TOURNAMENT OPENS.

Bowling Again the Attraction at the Calumet Club.

On Monday night the first matches in the Spring bowling tournament at the Calumet Club were rolled, ten teams of five men each being entered in the series. During last week the alleys were sand-papered and given a coat of shellac, and otherwise put in first class shape.

The ratings of the contestants have been revised in accordance with their work in the recently finished Winter tournament, and a close series of games is anticipated. A new feature to be tried in this tournament is the enforcement of the foul rules as used by the Amateur Boston Pin League. This will probably qualify more men for the league team, as many of the best bowlers have not heretofore observed these rules.

The tournament will run until the middle of March and seven prizes have been announced.

Following is the list of teams, schedule of game and list of prizes:

COMPOSITION OF TEAMS.

TEAM I.		TEAM VI.	
Newman, S. E., Capt.	85	Purrington, G. W., Capt.	87
Weed, H	83	Purrington, W. S.	81
Wilson, T. P., jr.	86	Russell, E.	65
Bond, H. T.	86	Quigley, T., Jr.	73
Richardson, H. E.	85	Hooper, S. F.	80
	425		386
TEAM II.		**TEAM VII.**	
Gendron, J. E., Capt.	88	Skillings, D. N., jr., Capt.	82
Woods, G. A.	81	Hall, C. H.	81
Olmsted, H. J.	86	Davis, G. B.	77
Kinsley, C. E.	87	Bufford, P. T.	78
Mason, W. M.	68	Kelley, E. A.	76
	410		394
TEAM III.		**TEAM VIII.**	
Tarbell, C. W., Capt.	80	Clark, F., Capt.	72
Metcalf, E. W.	79	Farnsworth, V.	67
Hatch, E. W.	79	Tenney, C. S.	68
Downs, J. A.	79	Whitehorne, G. B.	64
Goddu, G.	73	Herron, S. F.	70
	390		341
TEAM IV.		**TEAM IX.**	
Willey, G. E., Capt.	81	Richards, W. D., Capt.	73
Randlett, E. P.	81	Russell, A. H.	79
Caldwell, J. A.	87	Hunt, F. L.	77
Wooster, F. V.	75	Clark, R.	74
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	375		360

SCHEDULE OF GAMES 1909.

1st WEEK.			
Mon.	Feb. 1	1-2	3-4
Wed.	" 3	5-6	7-8
Thur.	" 4	9-10	2-3
Fri.	" 5	4-6	5-7
2nd WEEK.			
Tues.	Feb. 9	6-7	1-9
Wed.	" 10	2-10	3-5
Thur.	" 11	6-8	7-9
Fri.	" 12	3-10	1-4
3rd WEEK.			
Wed.	Feb. 17	4-9	3-7
Thur.	" 18	1-10	2-6
Fri.	" 19		4-8
4th WEEK.			
Wed.	Feb. 24	5-9	6-10
Thur.	" 25	1-8	
Fri.	" 26	2-4	5-10
5th WEEK.			
Wed.	Mar. 3	1-3	2-7
Thur.	" 4	5-8	
Fri	" 5	3-10	2-9
6th WEEK.			
Wed.	Mar. 10	1-5	4-10
Thur.	" 11	3-9	2-8
Fri.	" 12	1-6	4-7
7th WEEK.			
Mon.	Mar. 15	7-10	6-9
Wed.	" 17	10-8	2-5
Thur.	" 18	1-7	3-6
Fri.	" 19	8-9	4-5

RULES TO GOVERN TOURNAMENT.

Games to begin at 8 o'clock, p. m.

Ratings to be taken in absence of any player.

Entry fee, $1.00 per man, to be collected by Treasurer on quarterly statement.

Points to be counted under rules of Amateur Boston Pin League.

No team shall take more than one team prize and no individual shall take more than one individual prize.

Foul Rule will be observed. Captains to act as umpires unless a special umpire is present.

Puck and Judge Prize, offered for individual showing greatest increase over rating. For this last prize in case of absence ratings will be counted.

PRIZES FOR TOURNAMENT.

1st—Team winning greatest number of points.
2nd—Team standing second in points won.
3rd—Team standing third in points won.
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5th—Individual high single string with handicap.
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AUTO ASSOCIATION SAY ALL SHOULD BE TAXED.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The Massachusetts State Automobile Association, which is made up of the following clubs, Bay State, Springfield, Winchendon, Wachusett, Worcester, Fall River, Malden, Brockton, and Lowell Automobile Clubs, has presented to the Legislature a bill which proposes to tax all vehicles operated on the state highways in proportion to the amount of damage which they do the highways, as may be estimated by the Highway Commission.

We, as automobilists, are willing and anxious to pay for every bit of damage which we do the state highways. We do, however, maintain that if we are to be taxed for the damage which we do, that the other vehicles should pay for the damage they do. In other words, we object to class legislation.

Of course opponents to this bill will argue that inasmuch as all horses and wagons and all automobiles are assessed and taxed locally, they should not be called upon to pay another tax to the state. If, however, the state highways are to be maintained by a special tax, the only way is to adopt, in effect, the old toll system, that is, each vehicle pays for the damage it does.

Our association heartily endorses Governor Draper's recommendation for the prevention of reckless driving.

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Ursa Major and Ursa Minor.

A pretty myth is told of Callisto and her son in connection with Ursa Major and Ursa Minor. Juno changed the beautiful Callisto into a bear, who, seeing her son one day, advanced to embrace him, when he, not knowing his mother in the form of a bear, was about to thrust his spear through her, to prevent which Jupiter snatched them both up to heaven and placed them among the stars as the Great and Little Bears.

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"Do you s'pose they gave rain checks?" inquired the facetious citizen with irritating levity.—Exchange.

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WHAT IT TAKES TO KEEP BOYS AND GIRLS SWEET.

My wife has been pretty carefull not to let me buy any impure goods, so the other day, having a little time to spare, I thought I would call upon Covel and see what he had to say about it. As I entered his store he said "why how do you do Mr. Johnson, I have been wanting to have a little friendly talk with some one, come out this way." I went out in the rear with Mr. Covel, where there was a number of cans of sweet cream just received from the Hampton Creamery, and while Mr. Covel was breaking a good many dozen of eggs for his ice cream, he to'd me to look over the stock used for its manufacture. I took out a big bundle of chocolate that was marked Bakers Pure Cocoa. "That is the vanilla I use, Mr. Johnson." I looked at it. Mr. Covel said it was the best he could buy from one of the first class business houses in Boston. "I use strawberries also when they are in season, but this time of the year I use the next best strawberry pulp. I stated last year to make strictly pure ice cream. At first I froze up a few gallons, then they ran into the hundreds, soon into the thousands; until I began to get dizzy trying to keep account of how many gallons I have made during the year just past."

"Now Mr. Johnson," said he "do you still doubt that I make pure goods? Come down stairs and look at my candy department; look at all those flavors used for candy, they are all strictly pure, as pure as can be had. I have made a good many tons of home made candies this last year. I don't know just how sweet we will get all these girls, but I guess time will tell it is not only the girls we are sweetening, but the boys as well, for we all are born with a sugar tooth."

Just then I heard my train coming and asked Mr. Covel to send up two quarts of ice cream to my house; I can tell my wife it is strictly pure.

"The Light That Failed."

A wealthy Riverina squatter, now departed, as he used to phrase it, "to the great muster," was noted almost as much for his Attic wit as for his parsimony. He also stuttered very badly and helped along his halting utterance with a frequent ejaculation of "D'ye see? D'ye see?" His niggardly traits gained him widespread local unpopularity and the bitter enmity of sundowners, who were always vigorously refused rations at his stations.

Smarting under this unusual inhospitality, some disappointed swaggerers once set fire to one of the squatter's wool sheds and then wrote upon a gate: "We've well burnt down your wool shed. D'ye see? D'ye see?"

Of course it caught the big man's eye when next he passed through. For a moment he contemplated the announcement and then with a sardonic grin took the stump of a blue pencil from his pocket and scribbled underneath: "It was well insured. D'ye see? D'ye see?"—London Standard.

Oh, what a goodly outside falsehood hath!—Shakespeare.

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Diaries and line-a-day books—Wilson the Stationer.

Sierra Leone.

Sierra Leone—known to fame as "the white man's grave"—viewed from the deck of an incoming steamer presents an appearance distinctly attractive. As to climate, the sobriquet "white man's grave" is sufficiently instructive. Suffice it to say that the first of the daily regimental orders ran thus: "Funeral parade at 6:30 a. m. tomorrow," and it was seldom indeed that the parade was dismissed for lack of a victim to the pestiferous climatic conditions. Indeed, so arduous became the duties of sepulcher that, whereas it was customary in the beginning for the entire regiment and band to attend, only the company of the deceased and the firing party did so later on. Sierra Leone is infested with snakes, large and small. The former are of the constrictor species; the latter are all extremely venomous. The most deadly of all perhaps is the yellow jack, a beautiful yellow and black reptile, whose bite is reputed to prove fatal within a space of twenty minutes.—Westchester County Magazine.

What Is It, a Lobster?

That the methods of public school instruction as applied in one city at least do not always meet the approbation of the parents of the pupils was evidenced when a German man whose bristly blond hair was standing perfectly erect with anger strode into a Baltimore school one day and, approaching the principal, demanded:

"Vot is it, a lobster?"

The principal explained in his suavest tone that a lobster was a species of shellfish.

"How many legs has it der lobster?"

The number of legs was promptly stated.

"Look here," exclaimed the irritated Teuton, "I vork for me in a big hurry, und if your teacher he cannot find petter dings to ask my boy Herman how many legs has it, a lobster, und make him come home to bodder his fadder mit questions, 'What is it, a lobster?' it is pad business!"—Lippincott's.

Saved His Rupees.

During a great flood at Haidarabad a native banker, overtaken by the sudden rush of water, made his way on to a mound, where he was quickly isolated. The water rose, and the banker's legs were covered to his knees. "Fifty rupees (about £3 7s.), 50 rupees," he shouted, "to any one who will save me!" When the water reached his shoulder he was shouting, "One thousand rupees!" When enveloped to his neck, with death staring him in the face, he yelled: "Help, help! All that I have will I give to any one to save me!" Shortly after the water began to recede. When once more he was covered only to his knees an offer of rescue came. But the banker, plucking up his courage, cried: "Keep off! Keep off! I will not give a rupee!" and succeeded in making his escape free of charge.—St. James' Gazette.

Origin of "Bonfire."

Stow, referring to the "bonefiers" which the citizens of London were wont to make in the streets on "the vigilies of festiuall dayes and on the same festiuall dayes in the euenings after the sunne setting every man bestowing wood or labour towards them" and which were an occasion of feasting and merriment, says that "these were called bonefiers as well of good amitie amongst neighbours, that, being before at controuersie, were there by the labours of others, reconciled, and made of bitter enemies, louing friendes, as also for the vertue that a great fire hath to purge the infection of the ayre."—London Globe.

Healthful Tombstone.

Nobody ever dies in Tombstone unless they brought it "with'm," or fall into a 600 foot vertical shaft, or buy an automobile, or "sass" their mother-in-law, or try to thaw out powder, or mistake cyanide of potassium for sugar, or start off a county seat removal racket. Some die of old age, some old partners of Daniel Boone, but none has ever been known to die from physical irregularities contracted in Tombstone aside from the above mentioned causes and occasionally an abnormal tightness about the throat, superinduced by a coil of manila rope, or from a cold caught through a hole made by a 45.—Tombstone Epitaph.

AUSTRALIAN TRAVEL.

Better Stay Home if You Can.

Delays, Discomforts and Inadequate Schedules Make an Australian Railway Journey an Experience to Be Avoided—Though Fares Are High and Service Poor, the Profits Are Low.

By C. ARTHUR WILLIAMS.

When a new arrival in Australia announces his intention of making a journey he is saluted by a sort of paraphrase of Punch's advice to those about to marry. Instead of saying "Don't" his friends all say "Don't go by rail."

My first experience with the Australian government railway took place in New South Wales, where the system is in better working order than elsewhere, and it was a journey from Sydney to Springwood, forty-seven miles. A freight train—they call them goods trains in Australia—stuck in the tunnel ahead of us, though it had left the last station three-quarters of an hour before we arrived. We had taken the 5:37 train and were due at 6:55. We arrived at 7:50, two hours and thirteen minutes for the trip of no greater distance than is traversed by thousands of commuters every day from New York. The line is double tracked all the way up from Sydney, and ours was a through train. An American road would hardly contain a tunnel grade so steep as to stall even the heaviest of freight trains, especially on a suburban line with a heavy passenger traffic, and an American dispatcher would hardly send out a freight train drawn by a locomotive which might not be able to pull it up the grade directly ahead of a fast passenger train.

The rate for first class tickets is nearly 5 cents per mile, for second class more than 3 cents. When I suggested traveling second class my friends told me that I would be crazy to do so, and when I tried it I realized that they were right. Yet, in spite of these high fares, the government much of the time fails to pay $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent on its investment. It is thrifty, though, for first class passengers are entitled to only 112 pounds of baggage carried free, while holders of regular second class tickets pay excess on everything over eighty-four pounds.

My business in Sydney ended on Saturday, and it would have been convenient to leave for Melbourne that night. But this was impossible, since there is no Saturday night train south between the two cities and but one train a day each way during the week. As the Saturday half holiday is generally observed throughout New South Wales and Victoria, the traveler between the capitals of the two states must lose that half day and all the next because of the way in which the government railway schedule is arranged. He can leave Sydney on Friday night, but will reach his destination too late for business on Saturday. If he takes the dilemma by the other horn, he must lose the day and a half in Sydney, take the Sunday night train and reach Melbourne about 1 o'clock Monday afternoon. There is a Saturday train from Melbourne to Sydney, but none on Sunday. And bear in mind that this service is between the two principal cities of Australia, each with a population of more than half a million and only 576 miles apart.

The season was midwinter, being early August, and there was no provision whatever for heating the sleeping car. In Australian sleeping cars the men are herded off in one end of the car and the women in the other, with a screen across the aisle between. Even man and wife cannot have a section, but are separated perhaps by the entire length of the car. The berth curtains fasten only at the top, and everybody who passes down the narrow aisle pulls them along with him, letting in the light and disturbing the occupant. It was midnight when this sort of thing ceased and sleep was possible. At 6 in the morning it commenced again, and a few minutes after the curtains were pulled entirely back and everybody was told to get up. Before I was fully dressed the train ran into the station at Albury, on the boundary between New South Wales and Victoria. Those who were not so nearly prepared for disembarkation as I was spoke and acted as if they were not happy.

But why all this haste and pother? Merely because the gauge of the New South Wales railway system is four feet eight and a half inches and that of the Victoria roads is five feet three inches and trains cannot be run through; hence passengers are hauled out at 6 o'clock of midwinter mornings in an unheated car.

The breakfast in the restaurant was the worst meal I ever ate in a railway station, which is strong language. There is but one dining car in the whole of Australia.

It was as cold in the Victoria train as it had been on the New South Wales sleeper. It was a smoking compartment, this, and brass cones, sunk point downward through holes in the floor of the car, had been provided by a thrifty government to serve as cuspidors. The wind came through them unchecked, of course.

And all this on the crack train between the two principal cities of Australia!

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"Tomorrow," he said, "after she is quite dry I'll rub brilliantine on one of these brushes and polish her coat till it shines like satin. I'll oil and polish her feet too. Her face and wattles I'll rub well with cold cream—that will deepen and enrich the color, the bloom. Altogether, when I'm done with her she'll be as smooth and shiny and immaculate as a new silk hat or a well laundered white evening shirt.

"For exhibitions chickens have these elaborate toilets always—much more elaborate ones sometimes. In certain breeds I have seen the leg feathers being curled with an electric iron one by one."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

First Giraffe In Europe.

Dr. Johnson, as is well known, refused for many months to believe in the Lisbon earthquake, and Parisians formerly were just as skeptical as to the existence of the giraffe, a new specimen of which has just been added to the Jardin des Plantes. The earliest specimen of these gentle creatures was seen in Paris in the reign of Louis XVI. We learn from a French contemporary that the giraffe was first heard of in 1787, when it was described by a Frenchman named Levaillant, who had journeyed in the lands of the Hottentots and Kaffirs. When the explorer referred to the animals with the long necks he was looked upon as a Munchausen and told that he was such in not the politest language. It was only when some living specimens arrived in the French capital that Levaillant's reputation for veracity was re-established, and then the animals for a long time formed the sensation of Paris, not only among the multitude, but in all scientific circles.—London Globe.

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A caucus of the citizens of Winchester for the purpose of nominating candidates for town officers will be held at the Town Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 18, at 7.30 o'clock. The Australian ballot will be used, the same as in past years, and all citizens desiring to be candidates should send their names to the Town Clerk on or before Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 9 a. m., so that they may appear on the ballot.

1909 GETS THE CUP.

The class of 1909 won the basket ball cup by defeating 1910, in the deciding game of the series in the High school, last Friday night, by the score of 20 to 12. Both teams were determined to win, and as a result it was very roughly played, especially during the first half, but in the second half there was cleaner and better basket ball shown by both teams. 1909 made the shots tell better than 1910, whose seemed to roll around the basket and go out. At times, both teams showed great team work in their passing. For 1909 Sharon and Dover deserve a great deal of credit, the former for the way in which he covered and Dover for his accurate shooting. Mortensen was very noticeable in his shooting for the juniors and Hamilton played a great game at guard.

The line-up:

1909.	1910
Barboro, rf,	rf, Tuck
Collins, lf.	lf, Grant
Dover, c.	c, Mortensen
Keeler, rg,	rg, Hamilton
Sharon, lg.	lg, Badger

Score, 1909 20; 1910 12. Goals from the floor, made by Dover 5, Collins 3, Sharon 2, Mortensen 4, Tuck. Goals from free tries, Tuck 2. Referee Mobbs. Timer Nieley. Time, 15 and 20-minute halves.

1911, 39; 1912, 12

The sophomores defeated the freshmen in a one-sided game between the halves, by the score of 39 to 12. The freshmen played on the defensive nearly all the time, and had very few chances to score. Small excelled for the losers, while Obregon and Hanson played well for 1911.

The line-up:

1911.	1912
Le Duc, rf.	rf. Goddu, Small
Obregon, lf.	lf. Farnsworth
Caldwell, c.	c, Small, Goddu
Newton, rg.	rg, Emery
Hanson, lg.	lg, Tueteen

Score, 1911, 39; 1912, 12. Goals from floor, made by Le Duc 5, Obregon 7, Caldwell 4, Hanson 3, Small 4, Goddu. Goals from free tries, Emery 2. Referee Mobbs. Timer, Nieley. Time, two 15-minute halves. *One awarded for interference.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

At the monthly official board meeting, held last Monday evening, in the vestry many subjects of vital interest to the church were discussed, especially the great need of continuing the special meetings in our town. A committee was appointed to see what could be done.

Pastor J. R. Chaffee is inviting out of town pastors to help him each Wednesday and Friday night. At each service, the old truth is put in a new light.

A great lawyer once said at the close of a very scholarly sermon on law, "We do not come to church to learn about law, we want to hear the Gospel."

The Epworth League Cabinet is to meet on Monday evening, to plan for the payment of their pledge toward the current expenses of the church. Other very important matters will be taken up.

The Ladies Aid all day sewing meeting, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. H. Leslie Platt, will be held in the vestry next Thursday. Mrs. R. W. Dover and Mrs. Thomas Bulmer will be in charge of the dinner.

It will be interesting to note that the date of the Parish Supper is fixed for March eighteenth.

The Sunday School is in a very healthy and growing condition. The Superintendent Mr. F. G. H. Finnimore states that there is a marked increase in average attendance over the corresponding winter months of last year.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

The Lincoln Centennial will be observed in the Sunday School next Sunday.

The attention of the people of our Church is called to the Citizens' observance of Lincoln Day at the Town Hall, Friday evening, February 12.

The date of Ash-Wednesday is Feb. 24, Easter coming April 11. Lenten announcements will appear in the next calendar.

The Bishop has announced as the time of his visit to this parish Friday evening, March 26, at the 5 o'clock service.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Woman's Guild of Stoneham, a mission of the Parish of the Ehiphany of this town, is to give a pop concert and dance in Armory hall, that town, on Wednesday evening next. The Salem Cadet Band will furnish music and dancing is to be enjoyed until 12 o'clock. Many Winchester people have purchased tickets, and a special electric will be run to Arlington for their convenience at the close of the evening. Those who have not yet purchased tickets can do so by applying at Geo. E. Morrill's grocery store.

The recital by Miss Hattie Snow's pupils in the M. E. Church Tuesday evening was attended by a large audience of the parents and friends of the pupils, and showed the pains taken by their instructor in the execution of the different numbers. Those who took part were Miss Dasie McLellan and Miss Ridings sopranos, Miss Freda Mobbs reader; Reta Goodwin, Dasie Smith, Helen Marshall, Ruth Dearborn, Alberta Seagrave, Helen McLean, Margaret Winn, Ellen Horn, Bertha Kelley, Ethel McEwen, Ethel Peterson, Marian Mobbs, Edith Hatch, Warren Carter, Pearl McLean, Margaret Ray.

A recent arrival at Palm Beach, Fla., is Mr. Hales W. Suter of this town.

Mr. Willard E. Robinson of this town, proprietor of the Belmont Spring property, entertained the Belmont Spring Country Club at luncheon recently.

Mrs. Aaron Bell of Forest street is recovering from the grip.

John Woods, the youngest child of Mr. Geo. A. Woods is ill with scarlet fever.

Mary Wallace of Oxford street is ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Rebecca Fernald returned the first of the week from her western trip where she has been since the last of December.

Allan Chamberlain went with the Appalachian club over Sunday to Mt. Greylock where the club made the ascent of the mountain.

Andrew C. McKenzie son of the late Dr. W. S. McKenzie of this town, died Feb. 3, 1909, at Quadalajara, Mexico.

Will the readers of the STAR who have Globe Coupons kindly help a boy who is trying hard to win one of the prizes in the contest. Leave them at Ames' or send to John Noonan, 8 Water street.

On next Thursday morning from 10 to 11.30 the public school pupils are to hold Lincoln exercises in the Assembly Hall at the High School. All parents are invited to attend.

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UNION EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.

On every hand the question is being asked, "Why do we not have evangelistic meetings in Winchester?" This question came home to a group of men in one of the churches last Sunday evening, and they felt that something must be done in the matter, and done at once. So they conferred with laymen in other churches and found the same spirit prevailing. Consequently steps were taken to get together on the matter and see what could be done, and at the prayer meetings of the Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches on Wednesday evening committees were appointed to canvas the situation and report back to the churches as soon as possible.

These committees assembled in the Methodist Church at the close of the prayer meeting, and it was found that every one was heartily in favor of holding union meetings if a safe, sane and strong man could be secured as leader.

A sub-committee was appointed to find the right man and report to the general committee tonight, if possible. It is the desire of the committee that the meetings should begin at once or as soon as the right man can be secured.

Thus we may reasonably expect that the profound stirrings in Boston will reach Winchester before many days.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

Nothing but superlatives will suffice to give a satisfactory idea of the great success of "The Circus Girl" at the Castle Square Theatre. Ever since Christmas eve that delightful musical comedy has run to audiences that have filled the Castle Square Theatre to the doors, and from all appearances this state of things might continue indefinitely. Its popularity is phenomenal, it has broken all records at Castle Square, and there would appear to be no limit to its success. On Monday begins the seventh week of its run, and although more than one hundred and twenty thousand people have already seen "The Circus Girl," as many more are clamoring to see it. With such great popularity, it is no wonder that Mr. Craig is compelled to withdraw all his other plans, and to give the public "The Circus Girl" as long as it wants to see this great musical comedy. Songs, music, spectacle and dancing are its chief features, and there is not a dull moment in it from beginning to end.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR of THE STAR:

Several members of the bar are asking the legislature to pass some measure to expedite court business, but how they can hope for any help through a body that cannot expedite its own business is hard to understand.

If an Inspector of Wires is wanted in Winchester, Arlington has an excellent one who might be able to serve us also. The Selectmen have the authority to appoint. Why not bring the matter before them while the warrant for the town meeting is open?

One school officer whose efficiency has been increased more than a hundred per cent. of recent years is the truant officer. Under the old regime this office was a bald joke, although it was an important one and why it was treated with such levity is a conundrum.

I suppose we will have to go through our caucus farce again this month. Last year about fifty were present and as soon as it was over citizens began taking out nomination papers. We need several strong men for Selectmen this year with all the money it is proposed to spend upon the Streets. Who will sacrifice himself?

Now that the interesting letters upon the Schools have ceased, cannot the STAR command further communications from citizens on other important town matters, such as are soon to be considered in the annual town meeting. Streets and sidewalks, street lighting, policing, public health, library, insect pests and many other things for which we will appropriate money could be written upon to good advantage at this time particularly. Then there are town officials to be elected, and some boards need strengthening and they might be spoken of. So take your pen in hand and write something in your town's interest.

The problem now before the Ap. Com. is to include the things we should have and at the same time keep down the tax rate. That always has been and always will be the problem. If it were not for this unexpected thing and that unexpected thing it would be clear sailing. But they always do come up. Some accounts help out and others add on every year. The town is growing steadily and well, but the citizens' wants and desires grow faster still, and if they will have them carried out they must pay for them. Why not pay the tax rate?

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Miss Annie S. Peck told the story of her ascent of Mt. Huascaran, in Peru, before an audience of more than six hundred people on Monday evening of last week. Views taken in the course of the trip, were thrown on the screen. Thus the audience virtually accompanied her down along the South American coast to the seaport from which the inland ride was made to Grengay. Back of this village rises the great Huascaran 24000 feet in air.

The President of Peru appreciating the value Miss Peck's climb had in calling attention to his country, has promised her a gold medal on behalf of the government of Peru.

On Monday next (Feb. 8), at 3.30, Mrs. Caroline B. Lawrance, one of our own club members, will give a talk entitled "An Hour in Japan."

THE MAJESTIC THEATRE.

That great Boston favorite, Mr. John Mason, will begin an engagement of three weeks at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, on Monday evening, February 15, appearing in Augustus Thomas' great play, "The Witching Hour."

Every critic in New York considered "The Witching Hour" to be the best play that Augustus Thomas has ever written, and at the same time the best that has been produced in New York in a decade.

Every character in "The Witching Hour" is as clear cut as a cameo, and with the aid of a company of artists of established reputation, Mr. Thomas has thereby been enabled to more easily make his bid for the position of the greatest American dramatist. In selecting Mr. John Mason as the star, the Messrs. Shubert have displayed the shrewd acumen so necessary to success in the theatrical business. Mr. Mason has been surrounded by the Messrs. Shubert by such well known players as Amelia Gardner, Russ Whytal, Charles Balsar, Julia Hay, George Nash, George Gaston, E. L. Walton, W. E. Butterfield, Harry S. Hadfield, Thomas P. Jackson, Ethel Winthrop, Freeman Barnes, S. E. Hines, etc.

Mr. George Squire of Syracuse, N. Y., was the guest over Sunday of his wife's relatives, Mrs. Hindes and family of Forest street.

Jessie Siggins who boards with Miss Chisholm of Highland avenue, is ill with scarlet fever.

ONE ON THE SEALER.

A loaded coal team of Parker & Lane's from Winchester, was stopped on the street a day or so ago by Sealer of Weights and Measures Geo. B. Williams, and taken to the town scales and weighed. It was one on the Sealer, as the ton of coal weighed 2040 lbs., 40 pounds over weight.—[Stoneham Enterprise.]

It is supposed that the Sealer of Weights and Measures was feeling very sad at seeing so many loads of Winchester coal coming into his town and therefore thought that he might be able to keep some of it out because of short weight. However he has only assisted in calling the attention of Stoneham people to the generous allowance of Winchester's coal dealers.

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I hereby notify all registered voters who desire to be candidates for town offices to send in their names to me in writing by 9 o'clock a. m., February 17, 1909.

All names so received will be placed upon one ballot which will be the only form of ballot used at this caucus.

This caucus will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Laws and amendments thereof, and will be called to order by the Town Clerk, who will preside until a chairman is chosen.

GEORGE H. CARTER,

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PARK THEATRE.

[Special correspondence by Mary Dascombe.]

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To be serious—if one can be serious after laughing and clapping for three jolly hours—"Fluffy Ruffles" is the most rollicking musical show we have had since Miss Williams first brought "The Little Cherub" to Boston two years ago, and her famous "Experience" song of that production has a rattling successor this year in "Willie's Got Another Girl Now"—a song with a sad tale that will bring tears (of laughter) to your eyes and send you away from the theatre humming and dancing to its swing.

Such clever people as William Norris' Bert Leslie, Jack Gardner, John Bunny, Victor Hyde, Marion Abbott, Josephine Drake, Nellie Butler, Marie Annis and oh! a dozen more; and a chorus of the prettiest girls ever gathered on one stage and wearing Parisian dresses as if to manner born (I suspect that Mr. Frohman must have a few real Society girls in that front rank at least.) The three stage settings are brilliant in design and color.

The Boston engagement is a limited one for Miss Williams, I hear, is to play a return engagement in New York before the end of the season. You can count on seeing me in a front seat every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon until further notice. Yours truly,

MARY DASCOMBE.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Without question the greatest individual attraction now in vaudeville is Eva Tanguay, the comedian, for she is the only American artist who by her striking orginality and mannerisms who has been able to outdo in every particular the famous artists of Europe who have been appearing in American vaudeville during the past few years. In order to bring her to Boston Mr. Keith was obliged to terminate a most extraordinary run at one of his New York houses. She will come here with all the latest songs and with all those entertaining Tanguayisms that have made her recent New York season the most successful on record.

Another feature never seen outside of New York is the Mirza Golom Troupe, one of the biggest European aggregations ever brought to this country for the New York Hippodrome. Another act that will be seen for the first time is Laura Burt and Henry Stanford in "The Order of the Bath." Violet Allen and Company will appear in a sketch and for real fun there is nothing surpasses Brown, Harris and Brown and Sam Watson's Farmyard Circus with its educated animals. Also on the bill are Steelly and Edwards; Burt and Bertha Grant and a splendid singing production with beautiful scenic effects entitled "L'Angelus."

Russell McGown of Lebanon street while coasting last Friday ran into a rock and was thrown with such force that he was in an unconscious condition for a number of hours. He was very severely hurt but is slowly recovering.

Constance Park of Forest street is confined to the house with illness.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister, Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the Rev. James L. Barton, D. D. Today we bring in our pledges for the support of Dr. Clark, our associate pastor abroad. Anthems—"They that wait upon the Lord," Frey; Quartette, "Father, in Thy mysterious presence," Scott.

12.0 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"True and False Brotherhood." Acts 4: 32-5: 11.

4.30 p. m. Monthly Vesper Service. See programme elsewhere in the STAR. All the selections, instrumental and vocal, are from Mendelssohn's compositions, and are given in honor of his one hundredth birthday.

6 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—"Our Christian Endeavor Comrades the world over." (Christian Endeavor Day.) Psalm 98: 1-9. Leader Dr. C. J. Allen. All are invited to attend, especially old Christian Endeavorers.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.-4 p. m. The regular meeting of the Mission Union will be held in the vestry. Luncheon will be served at noon. The Executive Board will meet at two p. m. followed by the regular business meeting of the society. At 3 o'clock the Rev. Henry Harris of Moline, Illinois will speak. It is hoped there will be a large attendance.

4.15 p. m. The Minister's Class of boys and girls will meet in the small vestry. Lesson four will be the advance, review the three previous lessons. Be prompt and regular in attendance. Nearly every boy was present last week.

7.45 p. m. Regular mid-week meeting for worship, conference and fellowship around the church fireside. Topic—"Echoes from the Chapman-Alexander meetings." Will all who have a copy of the Alexander Gospel Song Book please bring it to the meeting. The song service and music will be in charge of our pianist Miss Park, who is arranging some special music. All come.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Spirit."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Septuagesima Sunday.

10.45 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

Friday, During the afternoon and evening Mr. and Mrs. Lawrance will hold an informal reception in the ladies' parlor. No direct invitations will be issued, but all who care to come will be most cordially welcome.

10 a. m. Communion.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. The Pastor will repeat the first sermon he delivered in Winchester ten years ago. Subject, "Grace."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. Frederick B. Reynolds.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Esther Somes. Mr. Lawrance will speak.

Monday, A large fair "A Festival of Months," will be held at the Morgan Memorial, Boston, under the auspices of the Methodist and Unitarian churches of Boston and vicinity, continuing until Friday evening. The fair promises to be of unusual interest and beauty, and the cooperation of all is desired.

Thursday, 7 p. m. Annual supper of the Ladies' Friendly Society. All in the parish over 16 are invited.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Life and Services of Abraham Lincoln."

12.15 p. m. Bible School, with Primary Department and "Cornerstone Class." Mr. John McLean, superintendent. Led by Mr. McGown.

5.15 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting.

6.15 p. m. Evening worship with sermon by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week Prayer and conference meeting.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon—"Not Ashamed of Jesus." Albert E. Brown Soloist and Director. Miss Helen M. Palmer, organist. Mr. Brown will sing "The Everlasting Day," Bevan; and "Peace," by Hawley. Seats free. Welcome.

11.30. Reception of new members. Ordinance of the Lord's Supper.

12.00 m. Bible School. Arthur P. Briggs, Supt. Classes for all.

12 m. Noon Conference for business men. Miss Carrie E. Small of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union, Boston, will speak on "Women in Industry." Seven-minute presentation of S. S. lesson by Pastor.

5.30 p. m. Meeting of chorus for singing the Alexander songs. Pastor will lead.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting. Leader, the Rev. Arthur L. Winn.

7.00 p. m. Echo-Evangelistic Service, preparatory to contemplated Union Meetings. Chorus choir, led by the Pastor, will sing the Alexander Gospel songs. Please bring your "Alexander" books with you.

Tonight, 8 p. m. Merrimac Mission, Boston.

Wednesday, 3 p. m. The Farther Lights will meet with Miss Avis Moore, 11 Cottage ave.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer Meeting! Echo-Evangelistic meetings may be held on Monday and Tuesday evenings, as preparatory to the Union meetings, but definite announcement cannot be made till Sunday.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "Abraham Lincoln." The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. There will be a special praise service with the Chapman Alexander singing books. Let all come. Welcome.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Cabinet meeting of League.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service in the vestry.

Thursday, All day sewing meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society in the vestry.

Thursday, 7.45 p. m. Sunday School Board meeting.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Service.

W. H. S. NOTES.

Friday night the basket ball team will play Reading High school at eight o'clock.

Last Monday the school hockey team lost to the Country club team in a practice game by the score of 4 to 3. Two or three times the High school nearly got a goal but "Tass" Hurd the Country Club goal tender, was too alert and made some great stops. Saturday afternoon the school team will play Arlington High in the rink on Mystic Lake.

MARRIED.

McCALL — GARDNER — Feb. 3, at Evanston, Ill., Mr. Sumner Thompson McCall of this town, and Miss Charlotte Riggs Gardner of Evanston, Ill.

DIED

BARNARD—Jan. 29, Horatio Barnard, aged 81 years.

MURPHY—Feb 2, Timothy C. Murphy, 83yrs. Funeral was at 32 Cedar street, Thursday, at 8.15 a. m. There was High mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock.

SEAL OF THE TOWN OF WINCHESTER MASS. WATERFIELD 1638 WINCHESTER 1850

NOTICE TO

VOTERS!

MEN AND WOMEN.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of Registering New Voters as follows:

At the Town Hall on Tuesday Evening, February 16, 1909, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Also at the Town Hall Building, Pleasant Street, Saturday Afternoon and Evening, February 20, 1909, from 12 o'clock noon, until 10 o'clock in the evening, which will be the last day of Registration.

See that your name is on the Voting List of your Town; if not there, call at the office of the Board of Registrars on the days above mentioned and be registered or you cannot vote. Bring with you a certificate from the Assessors or a tax bill or notice from the Collector of Taxes showing that you have been assessed a poll tax.

Naturalized citizens presenting themselves for registration must bring their naturalization papers with them.

By order of the Board of Registrars of Voters.

EMMONS HATCH,
JOHN T. COSGROVE,
JAMES H. ROACH,
GEORGE H. CARTER,
Registrars of Voters
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February 3, 1909.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Anne D. B. Underwood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

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Lincoln's Education

He Actually Walked Miles to Borrow a Grammar and Went to School All His Life

By James A. Edgerton

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MOST of the presidents have been college men. The greatest of them, Washington and Lincoln, were not. Lincoln indeed had little formal schooling of any sort. And those who taught him were better fitted for [illegible]. According to his own words, there was less than a year all told of even this indifferent instruction. As a matter of fact, however, Abraham Lincoln went to school all his life, and he had a better teacher than any of these—himself. He was as hungry for knowledge as the average growing boy is for food. He literally devoured books, any kind of books, including the Bible and the dictionary. Books were as scarce then as new novels worth reading are now. As a result this lad with the starving mind read and reread many times every book he could procure. As Shakespeare, Aesop, the "Arabian Nights" and the prophets were among his authors, it can be seen how much better off he was than those who are flooded by latter day fustian.

Indeed, the meagerness of the future president's schooling was by no means an unmixed evil. What he did get he digested. Like Franklin, he tried to reproduce it, thus gaining a style of his own. Such a mental appetite had he that he even devoured the statutes of Indiana with as much eagerness as the schoolgirl of today reads Laura Jean Libbey. At least I presume that schoolgirls read her. Somebody must or she would not write.

It is said that Lincoln also read that impossible book, "Weems' Life of Washington," which has spread more misinformation about the Father of His Country than is told about most great men, which is literally speaking volumes. The only redeeming thing about Weems is that he wrote of Washington, and it was for this that Lincoln appreciated him. I do not know whether Washington could tell a lie or not, but I do know that both Weems and Sparks could and did. Fortunately for Lincoln, most of his biographers have been on speaking terms with verity and did not seek to elevate their hero into a demigod by placing him on a tall pedestal of eulogistic lies. George Washington was very much of a man, and it will pay the world to forget Weems and Sparks and get acquainted with the first president as he was.

Such an omnivorous reader was Lincoln that he actually walked miles to borrow a grammar in order that he might read that. He doubtless would have read the Congressional Record if he could have got it. The only people who read the Congressional Record nowadays are the members whose speeches are printed there. They never get a chance to deliver the great bulk of these speeches in congress, so the Record is the only outlet for their pent-up eloquence. The government printing office thus becomes the legislative safety valve. Still, that is hardly a truthful figure of speech, as there is no steam behind this oratory. As for gas, it never explodes without fire, and there is not a scintilla of fire in these speeches. It is fortunate for Lincoln and the world that the Record was withheld from him. Think about a trusting, famishing, eager eyed boy being turned loose to wander in that resort!

There is one other advantage in the Lincoln style of education. It at least left his individuality unmolested. He was not put into a hopper and ground into the semblance of every other young man that went through the same mill. He remained as God made him, not as some board of trustees and professors tried to make him over. He was not subjected to that deadening process of [illegible]. If there is anything that has made this Anglo-Saxon civilization worth while it has been the work of those who dared to protest and revolt, the independent, the revolutionist and the nonconformist. We have stood up for our individuality, the dearest gift of God to man. Variety makes life bearable. The whole movement of art, of civilization, of progress, is away from the stupidly regular, spiritlessly uniform, deadeningly monotonous, that would make all men on the same intellectual pattern. That all who go through the average university hopper do not have the divine spark quenched is due to the fact that their God-made individuality is stronger than the man-made molds in which they are placed. If one may order a suit of clothes to fit his individual shape, why may he not order an education also fitted to his needs? Why is an embryo poet and a merchant in the making fed the same mental food? The elective system in education has a small start, thank God, and that beginning will grow, let us hope, until public schools and universities will try to develop and bring out the peculiar difference, genius and individuality of pupils rather than seek to dwarf and repress.

The revolt against this dead level of uniformity in education is the same as that against straight lines and geometrical figures in landscape gardening, against the severely regular in art and against the stiff, the unnatural and the artificial in all departments of life. There is nothing so hideous as a row of houses made on the same pattern except a row of men made the same way. God gives us infinite variety, and we shall have a very much more interesting, creative and worth while world when we get sense enough to follow God's lead. The internal world of the individual is the most real, the most precious and the most holy thing we know. It is time that we learned to respect and venerate this thing fresh from God and made in his image. If the gardener is delicate in his treatment of the flower, how much more delicate should we be in our treatment of the individuality which is the flower of the soul!

Lincoln's form of self imparted education may have left him lacking in polish and in some sorts of culture, but it still left him Lincoln with all his virility and piquant personality, and the world is infinitely thankful for the result.

According to the omniscient Dennis Hanks, what little schooling young Abe got was due to his mother and afterward to his stepmother. "Abe was som'ers round nine years old," says Dennis, "but he never got over the mizable way his mother died. I reckon it was thinkin' o' Nancy an' things she'd said to him that started Abe to studyin' that next winter. * * * 'Abe,' she'd say, 'you larn all you kin an' be some account,' an' she'd tell him stories about George Washington an' say that Abe had just as good Virginny blood in him as Washington. Maybe she stretched things some, but it done Abe good."

Here is more from the same source: "'Denny,' Abe 'd say, 'the things I want to know is in books. My best friend's the man who'll git me one.'" The following, too, is from Dennis, still quoting Abe: "'Pap thinks it ain't polite to ask folks so many questions,' he'd say. 'I reckon I wasn't born to be polite. There's so darned many things I want to know. An' how else am I goin' to git to know 'em?'"

Poor starved child—starved in mind if not in body! Little did he dream that the world one day would be as eager to know of him as he then was to know of others. What tricks time plays! [illegible] How could the boy Lincoln foresee that his name would become the most loved of the nineteenth century?

The miracles of history! To him who reads them understandingly they are an ever unfolding revelation, a romance full of surprises, a gospel written in letters of gold by the ever moving finger of the divine. That this backwoods boy should become the chief figure in one of the world's greatest epochs—where does fiction furnish anything more romantic or improbable? One never gets over the surprise of it. The way Lincoln walked from his bed of husks to the presidency, the thrilling story of his nomination, the simple strength and patience with which he met the greatest of wars, the leaps and bounds by which he grew in the nation's and the world's esteem, his quiet faith in his second nomination and election, a faith fully justified by events, and finally the sense of personal bereavement felt by everybody at his death—all of this reads more like a tale from some divine legend, an account of some mythical hero, than a chapter from the newest of nations in our own times.

Who can fathom the education of a great soul? Who knows what forces and intelligences are testing and tempering it for its coming work? We talk glibly of Lincoln's training, but what do we see of it? Behind our knowledge are veils on veils unlifted? We do not know ourselves. How should we know one of the immortals!

Lincoln was one of those universal, many sided men who are beheld differently by every spectator. He had in him some correspondence to each of those he met, and they, beholding this, imagined they had seen the whole of him. He could seem to be giving away all his points or disclosing all his plans the while he was concealing and holding in reserve his main contention or chief design. It is never well to underrate these simple men. The very ones who are so transparent are the ones who have depths on depths we have not penetrated.

To the frontiersman Lincoln was a frontiersman; to the lawyer, a lawyer; to the politician, a shrewd party captain; to the statesman, a statesman; to the sorrowing mother, a sympathetic, tender listener, meeting all on the level, each according to his kind. This was no unsophisticated backwoodsman. This was a master of men, knowing how to shape, how to persuade and how to order. This was a keen sighted politician, a man with a far look into the future. This was a diplomat, with skill to steer away from complications with a foreign power, with skill also to win and hold the common people on whom he relied. Where did he learn it all? Right here we approach Lincoln's chief education. He imbibed all this from himself and from other men. He studied human nature—both in himself and in those he met. It was often remarked of him that every man with whom he came in contact he pumped dry. He found out all this man had to give him, extracting not only the essence of his knowledge, but perceiving the essence of the man himself. Lincoln also learned how to resolve each problem into its simplest elements. This was the most valuable lesson of all. Having schooled himself to go into fundamentals, he followed the same process in each matter that came before him. His humor aided him here, for it showed him the absurd and the incongruous. These two faculties, together with his strong logic and common sense, enabled him to strip the sham from the real and to go straight to the heart of every question. These powers were self acquired. They could scarcely have been imparted by any school or training whatsoever.

There were a wisdom and a culture in the spirit of Lincoln higher than any outward education could have bestowed. It was this inner beauty, not the outer homeliness, that was the real Lincoln.

It is this part of him that we must discover. If we do not find the soul of this meek but lofty man we miss the choicest and best of the blessing he has to give us. He was not an accident, for there are no accidents in God's humanity. He was a divine messenger sent to lead us in our dark hour and chosen unerringly by the instinct of the people. We do not know the mysteries that bring forth such miracles of human character as that of Lincoln, but we do know enough to recognize the divine impulse behind them. They are signs of the beneficent purpose that shapes the ways of humanity toward better things than we had foreseen or hoped.

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The underkeepers having spread themselves over the park, the park keeper, with the "field" (those following mounted and on foot) set off to find a deer which looks ready for fattening purposes. Having selected one, it is the work of the keeper to get him separated from the rest and then to slip his hound and set after him as hard as we can gallop. The pace, of course, is tremendous, and as rabbit holes abound the risk of a fall is even betting or, rather, a trifle of odds on the certainty of our "taking a toss." As our deer bounds away with his wonderfully easy, elastic movements he makes for the wildest part of the park, expecting to escape his pursuers.

In one place after another he is met with hidden keepers and fresh hounds, till with the instinct of his species he turns to what he thinks is his sanctuary—the lakes. With open mouth and tongue outhanging he plunges a good fifteen feet into the water and swims for the opposite bank. Gasping and tiring, he lands on what he hopes is freedom from his pursuers. But, alas, no! Yet another fresh hound is after him. What can he do? He is too pumped with his already hard burst to face the hill before him.

He turns around and tears down through the bracken with a hound on each side of him, ready to pull him down if they get but half a chance. It is a dingdong race, under trees, through bogs and bracken, up and down dells and breaks, smashing headlong through everything, anything, to reach the shelter of the friendly water once again. With a mighty spring he is in again. For a moment there is breathing space, for now the keepers and hounds, yet some way off, are making for the poor beast, which is in the middle of the lake. Away he swims with graceful movement of his noble head, glancing all around at his pursuers, but with his mind fixed on his line of retreat. He reaches the shore, and, with dripping sides, he is out upon the bank.

Again he makes an effort to baffle and leave behind those clinging hounds that would bear him down. And now two great hounds are stretching themselves out to their utmost pace. Side by side they race after their tiring quarry; in another minute they will have him. The stag, however, manages to [illegible] [redacted] In an instant he has turned on his pursuers, and with head down and upraised fore leg he is prepared to fight to the death. A hound rushes in, but in a twinkling he is on his back, hurled away like a piece of wood. This checks the other hound, which dodges and bays around the stag. Seeing that things are now getting a bit too warm for him, the stag suddenly turns round and, smashing the palings like match wood, finds himself again in the icy water of the big lake. Away and away he swims, up this long stretch, the water seeming to revive him, for he swims the eastern length, three-quarters of a mile, and then lands at the far end while we follow on the shore. He swims till his feet touch the ground and stands facing us.

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In an article on the lotteries the Berliner Tageblatt says there are three ways by which wealth is acquired—by work, which is long and tedious; by dishonesty, which is a precarious proceeding, and by gambling. The number of persons who prefer the last named method, says the writer, is large in the German realm, for there the great lotteries thrive best. There are seven of these under the management of the government, and they distribute $160,000,000 in prizes. The anxiety to secure a part of this amount has destroyed the happiness of thousands of households and has diverted thousands of good men from honest industry and thrift to idleness and poverty. In the seven lotteries there are about 22,000 winners a year, but of these only about 650 receive prizes of more than 1,000 marks each.

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COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday.) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

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Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

*Change at Stoneham.
§6.15, Wilmington only.
‡Stonenam Square only.

J. O. ELLIS, Div. Supt.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners—Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
Park Commissioners—Preston Pond, Jere A Downs, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Means, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
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Superintendent of Water Works—William T Dotten.
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Inspector of Animals—William Buckley.
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WHEREAS, John H. Roy of Newburgh in the State of New York, executor of the will of Mira E. Pierce, late of Winchester in said County of Middlesex, deceased, has presented to said Court his petition, praying for instructions as to whether certain memoranda annexed to said petition are to be regarded as a part of the will of said deceased, or are to be entirely disregarded by him, and for such other or further decree or order in the premises as may seem meet.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found or by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days, at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR a newspaper published in Winchester the last publication to be seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas J. Choate, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LILLIE F. BUTLER, Admx.

(Address)
18 Hancock Street,
Winchester, Mass.
January 19th, 1909

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James E. Foley, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

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(Address)
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Winchester, January 13, 1909.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jane Lenfest, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address)
GRANVILLE B. LENFEST, Adm.
Main Street
Winchester, January 22nd, 1909.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Handel Pond, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to us

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CLARENCE H. POND } Executors.
Winchester, Mass.
January 27, 1909.

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Mortgagee's Sale

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Hurd to Harlow H. Rogers, and Foster Rogers (and now owned as follows: viz., 2-3 by Foster Rogers, and 1-3 by Harlow H. Rogers, Trustee under Declaration of Trust recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 3403, Page 206,) dated September 2, 1907, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3375, Page 493, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises on

MONDAY, the first day of March, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, viz.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts on Irving street; and known as number forty-six (46) Irving Street; and being lot numbered ninety-six (96); and 1-2 one half of lot ninety-two (92) as shown on a plan of lots drawn by G. F. Hartshorn, dated May 25, 1891, and recorded with said Deeds in book of plans seventy (70), plan forty-eight (48). Subject to any and all tax liens and public assessments if any there be.

$200.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser, at the time and place of sale.

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34. Cross street, opp. East street.
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52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
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54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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ARRIVAL OF MAILS

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New York, West and South—7.30 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.1[illegible] p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Corey of Mt. Vernon street are the parents of a son, born last Friday.

Monday morning was right on record among the cold ones of the winter, the mercury dropping to two below at 6 a. m.

Miss Helen Palmer is the new organist at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. George A. Weld and Mrs. Sanford D. Leland have been visiting in Philadelphia.

There were ten births in one week in this town during the month of January.

Mr. John Marshall who was upset from his sleigh last week is out again, but has a badly scraped face.

Mrs. C. A. S. Dwight is able to be out after an attack of the grip.

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A party of young ladies employed at the Winchester laundry enjoyed "Little Nemo" at the Colonial Theatre, Saturday. The personnel of the party were Misses Helen A. McDermott, Margaret McKay, Agnes Cullen, Margaret Murray, Agnes C. and J. Louise Flaherty.

Shortly after noon Tuesday the axle of a Woburn bound electric broke at the corner of Salem and Main streets, tying up the travel for some two hours.

Mr. Harper Blaisdell has been confined to his home this week through sickness.

If the skating has been spoiled by the snow this season the coasting has been good enough to make up for it. Not for many years has it been as good as at present, and many double runners which have lain in garret or cellar for years have been brought forth for its enjoyment.

Covel's strictly pure ice cream is just what the doctor ordered.

Mrs. Margaret O. Doherty suffered the death of her father, John Scanlon, who passed away at his home in Woburn Tuesday.

Thomas W. Lawson, who attended the noon revival meeting in Boston Tuesday, sent 500 Lawson pinks to the headquarters for flowers, later given to sick and shut-ins.

Mr. Hiram Folsom lost his old horse, John Randolph, last Sunday. The horse was born in Vermont 26 years ago, and came into the possession of Mr. Folsom 18 years ago. He was faithful, gentle and kind, known to scores of Winchester people, and his loss to Mr. Folsom in akin to the departing hence of a dear friend.

A second daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lawson Tuesday morning at their residence, 16 Lawson road. The child weighs 10 pounds and will be named Jean, after the late Mrs. Thomas W. Lawson, Mr. Lawson's mother. Mrs. Arnold Lawson, who was Mrs. Lucie Mitchell, was married to Thomas W. Lawson's eldest son July 28, 1906. Their first child, Vera, was born Aug. 6, 1907.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Company is sued for $15,000 by Mrs. Nellie Lyden administratrix of the estate of John J. Lyden. Lyden died as the result of an electric shock while working in a tree on Mt Pleasant street and the suit is for conscious suffering and death.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Warren Teel, who died recently in Davenport, Iowa, was a former resident of Woburn, and married Dora Nichols of Winchester, Sept. 20, 1853.

No man has his perishable property safely within his grasp unless it is insured. See George Adams Woods about insurance.

Despite the criticism of some of the metropolitan newspapers, the libel prosecution of the administration against the New York World is not aimed to throttle free speech and a free press. If it affords salutary restriction of licentious and unrestrained utterances in the columns of unscrupulous journals, it will have been worth while.

Woburn Royal Arch Chapter elected the following officers last week: Walter A. Hanson, M. E. H. P.; Benjamin T. Morgan, E. K.; Dr. Benjamin Lewis, E. S.; Frederic A. Flint, treasurer; and John M. Wallace, secretary.

A direct nomination by the voters seems to be growing in favor by press and people, but, as might be expected, politicians are opposed to it.

Chief Tracy of Woburn in his annual report gives thanks to the Winchester department for the prompt and courteous service rendered by them on the three occasions that they were called to Woburn fires.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Holt have been granted letters of dismission from the First Congregational Church to the Dutch Reformed Church of Schenectady, N. Y. Rev. and Mrs. Frederick H. Means were also granted letters at the same time to the Congregational Church of Madison, Maine.

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Mrs. Herdman Mackay of Sherbrooke, Nova Scotia, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gerlack of Everett avenue.

Mrs. L. M. Passano has returned from Maryland, where she was called by the death of her brother.

The office of Sewall E. Newman report the passing of papers on the sale of the house of George H. S. Driver, to Charles W. Hinman of Roslindale. Mr. Hinman will occupy the property as a home at an early date.

Clarence Mobbs took part in "The Tenor's Romance" by Ouida, presented at the Medford Opera House, Feb. 3, for the Italian Relief Fund.

Mr. George Stygles of Woburn and Miss Margaret Haggerty of this town will be married next Sunday evening at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dearborn of Herrick street started Monday for St. Petersburg, Florida where they will remain during February and March.

Mrs. May White Tedford can be engaged for readings by clubs, lodges, private socials, churches and etc., 6 Herrick street. Tel. 1293. 15-4t*

On Wednesday evening the horse of John H. Carpenger, one of the hack drivers at the station, took fright from a train at the station and ran toward the centre. As the horse started Carpenger was thrown from his seat and the animal dashed unguided through the centre. He was neatly and quickly stopped on Main street by Henry Lyons, who swung on the booby sleigh and caught the reins. There was no damage.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Pilgrim Club of Boston, which was organized in the fall of 1906 by a number of prominent Congregational ministers, held a delightful informal luncheon and meeting at the Hotel Lenox on Monday afternoon, Feb. 1st. Many of the officers and prominent members with their wives comprised the company, and the guest of honor was the well-known Scottish orator, Roderick D. Dundonald of Glen Leven, Loch Lomond, Scotland. After the luncheon Mr. Dundonald addressed the Club informally, and his talk was followed by interesting speeches by the following officers of the Pilgrim Club: Rev. Edgar C. Wheeler of Rockland, President, Rev. C. A. S. Dwight of Winchester, Sec. and Treas., Rev. W. A. Dietrick of Peabody, Rev. Frank S. Hunnewell of Reading and Rev. Frederick J. Libby of Magnolia.

Supt. of Streets Hinds went to Bermuda Tuesday for a two-weeks' outing and rest.

Ernest G. Beaton has filed a petition in the Middlesex County Probate Court to be appointed guardian to his daughter, May Evelyn Beaton, born May 10, 1904. Her estate is valued at $200. She is the daughter of Ernest G. and the late Minnie A. Beaton.

Miss Alice Skillings is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Royall who have taken a house in Bermuda for the winter.

Congress has appropriated $300,000 for control over the gypsy moth in New England, and $75,000 for seed distribution. We venture an opinion that if the farmers had a vote on the question as to whether the latter amount be spent for seeds or added to the gypsy moth fund, they would decide in favor of the latter, believing that it would be placing it where it would do the most good. We know of a number who have annually received farm and garden seeds from the agricultural department that have found them worthless, and will no longer experiment with them.—[Athol Chronicle] This is simply a seed graft to catch votes and help some favored persons to dispose of their shop worn seeds.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature giving each city and town power to regulate the observance of the Lord's day within its own limits. This bill should be passed, thus doing away with the present farcical laws that are now only impartially enforced.

The man who sprinkles sand or ashes on the icy sidewalk in front of his house is a public benefactor. People who pass by when the walks would otherwise be slippery owe him a debt of gratitude.

The following received the ordinance of baptism at the First Baptist Church last Sunday evening: Halford Henry Ambler, John Edmunds York and Frederic S. Osgood, Jr.

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Rev. George B. Spurr of Petersham, Mass., son Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Spurr, is passing the present month at the home of his parents, Grove street. This is Mr. Spurr's vacation period, he being unable to leave his pulpit in the summer months because of the great influx of visitors to Petersham—a popular summer resort.

At the First Congregational Church Monday evening, an adjourned meeting was held at which new plans of improvements and accommodations were submitted and discussed.

All tickets for the "Isle of Bamboo" which were ordered at the auction at the Calumet Club on Saturday evening have been placed in the office of Parker & Lane Co., and must be paid for and taken by Feb. 15th.

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A jolly sleigh ride was taken by a party of twelve from this town on Tuesday night. Suntang Inn was the objective point, where dinner was enjoyed. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Symmes, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. T. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Beggs of Woburn.

It is understood that the Thomas S. Hoyt estate at the Highlands has been considered for the location of the new Winchester Hospital, and that it has the endorsement of the physicians of the town. The present house will be used for the nurses and doctors, with the hospital built on the hill at the rear. Situated on the electric car line and in one of the highest parts of the town, the estate should certainly make an ideal location.

Marriage intentions were filed with the town Clerk this week by Mr. Leigh Stanley Roberts and Jennie Amelia Cudmore.

Mr. C. S. McGown of Lebanon St. is chief usher at the Chapman meetings in Tremont Temple.

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Mr. P. W. Swan, who died at Plymouth, Florida, Jan. 17, united with the First Congregational Church by letter from the church in Fryeburg, Maine, Nov. 3rd, 1867.

The Bethany Sewing Society met Tuesday and enjoyed a very pleasant meeting, sewing for a fair in the summer. Several new features of the meetings were begun.

Mr. W. H. W. Bicknell was an invited guest at the annual dinner of the Bibliophile Society, held at Hotel Astor, New York, on last Monday night.

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EDITOR of THE STAR:

Mr. Suter's letter in last week's STAR is quite illuminating, and to me personally it is very satisfactory, since it supports my previous contentions, and completely disproves Mr. Suter's own early assertion. It may be recalled that in his first letter, January 1, Mr. Suter wrote, among other things, as follows: "Why is it that we are not able to retain good teachers?" "Why is the standard of scholarship in our schools so low?" "Teachers are leaving Winchester, not merely for the sake of higher salaries, but because of dissatisfaction with Winchester standards." In the course of my extended reply, January 8, I denied that teachers have left, during the last eight years at least, for any such reason. This is the only one of my numerous statements whose accuracy Mr. Suter questions in his letter of January 15; and now, in your issue of February 5, he produces the evidence to substantiate his charge regarding the loss of teachers.

According to my dictionary, a standard is "that which is established by authority" as a rule, criterion, test, etc. Apply this definition to the schools, the standard of scholarships must mean those requirements, established by the school authorities, which the pupils must meet in order to secure, year by year, their promotion, and in order to obtain, at the end of their course, a diploma as a certificate of graduation. The standard is something established, and established by the proper authorities.

In his letter of last week Mr. Suter quotes from six or eight teachers the reasons for their leaving Winchester, and these reasons include such things as the overworking and oversupervising of teachers; desire for larger salary; dissatisfaction with boarding places; carelessness, indifference and laziness of pupils; lack of co-operation of parents; and secret societies; but not a single reference to any dissatisfaction with the standard of scholarship set up by the school authorities.

Dissatisfaction of one kind or another will always exist, and certain kinds ought to exist. One may hope that teachers will never be satified with the efforts or the achievements of all the children; some parents are bound to be lacking in sympathetic cooperation; and salaries may often be inadequate to one's needs. When teachers or school officials reach the self-satistied stage, they will also reach the dryrot stage, and should be replaced by those who are able to detect the imperfections of an imperfect world.

If this were a trial in court I should rest here and submit my case to the jury with the mere statement that the other side had failed to prove its claim. But I will not do that; I have waited for Mr. Suter's evidence—which turns out to be on my side and not on his—and will now introduce a bit of my own. In his letter of January 15, Mr. Suter said: "Mr. Currier was, from his position, the last person to know the facts." That is the one amusing statement in this long-drawn-out discussion. If there is a single individual, with the possible exception of Mr. Metcalf, who has a more intimate inside knowledge than myself of school conditions in Winchester of the last eight years, I wish he would step forward and afford me the pleasure of making his acquaintance. Now for the facts.

Leaving out of account kindergarten assistants, who practically render free service for the sake of the experience, Winchester has lost seventy-two teachers during the past eight years; twenty-two secured better positions elsewhere; twenty-four were refused reappointment because of the unsatisfactory character of their work; fourteen resigned to be married; five others gave up teaching altogether; sickness and death account for five; and two left for special personal and family reasons. In not a single instance has a teacher been lost because of dissatisfaction with Winchester standards of scholarship.

CHARLES F. A. CURRIER.
Winchester, February 9, 1909.

LINCOLN DAY

The inhabitants should turn out en masse to the public meeting to be held in the Town Hall this evening in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the great emancipator.

Rev. George H. Gutterson will deliver the address and the chairman of the Board of Selectmen will preside.

The following is the program of music to be given by the upper grades of the Wadleigh Grammar School:

"Peace" (arranged from Beethoven's Symphony No 2)
"A Lesson in Giving," Chaminade.
"To Thee O Country," Eichberg.
"American Hymn," Kellar
"America".

It is interesting to note that the program given above will be sung without accompaniment and is taken from the regular work of the pupils in the ninth grade. Mr. Albert Brown, Supervisor of Music, will direct the musical program.

AN HOUR IN JAPAN.

The Fortnightly had the pleasure of listening last Monday to an exceedingly interesting lecture on Japan, by Mrs. William I. Lawrence, a valued member of the club.

She surprised those who think of Japan as merely an island on the northwest coast of Asia by given an idea of its vast area, including as it does, all the varieties of climate to be found in the United States, from the north coast of Maine to Key West.

Mrs. Lawrance spoke of the almost inconceivably rapid progrese in civilization and culture which Japan has made and is still making. 72 American institutions exist there. The currency, weights and measures are all decimal. Not only are many familiar with the English language, but with the history and the names of the great men of English speaking nations. Their highly artistic nature leads them to beautify all their surroundings, devoting much time to the smaller details of the arrangement of flowers in their houses and gardens. Even a stone path across a garden become under their touch an object of beauty and daintiness. As we spend years on music they spend years on the study of decoration. One sees ten solid acres of azalias and half an acre of wisteria on a trellis, the clusters so completely covering it as to shut out all view of the sky from one beneath. A twenty acre lake will be covered with the lotus plant, some of its leaves two to three feet in diameter. Acres and acres of morning glories of all colors delight the eye. A chrysanthemum plant sells for three or four cents. There are cherry trees, bearing no fruit, raised simply for their large double blossoms.

The native faiths are Shintoism and Buddhism. The Shintos have many ceremonies, great fetes and processions. Buddhism teaches that life is bad: Christianity that it is good. The desire of the Buddhist is to escape from the world: that of the Christians to live, that he may do good. Christianity is gaining ground in Japan, there being twenty-three different denominations. So the Japanese are puzzled to know what to believe.

These people are quiet, peaceful, never in a hurry. Even the children never quarrel. The services at church may be announced for nine o'clock when, in fact, they do not begin till ten.

The women have no rights. When the parents are ready for them to marry, a middleman chooses the husbands. They are married in white, (which is mourning in Japan) and are, thereafter, slaves to their husbands and parents-in-law. There are three obediences for them: first to parents, then to husbands, and, when widows, to sons. If the husband gets angry, the wife must speak to him gently. She must rise early, retire late, never sleep in the day-time, and always be on duty. The educated women, however, are now claiming the right to choose their own husbands.

This lecture was interspersed with bright and amusing incidents and frequent sallies of wit and humor.

Two delightful songs were given by Miss Sleeper just before the lecture and two at the close. Her voice is sweet and pleasing, and she was well accompanied as is always the case when Mrs. Wills is at the piano.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Beginning next Sunday the hour of Service Sunday morning will be 10.30

There will the usual monthly Organ Recital next Sunday afternoon at 4.15. See program in another column.

Citizen's Celebration of Lincoln Day to-night, Friday, the 12th, at the Town Hall, at 8.

The Woman's Guild will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour at Miss Watson's, 289 Main street. The meeting is in charge of the Missions Committee. Mr. Yui, a Chinaman, who is studying at Harvard, will speak of the work in China.

The Epiphany Circle will meet next Monday at 3.30 p. m. at the Choir Room. This will be the last meeting for several weeks,—and until further notice.

The Choir Guild will meet next Wednesday evening, Feb. 17, at a place to be announced.

The date of Ash-Wednesday is Feb. 24.

A meeting of the Epiphany Club is being planned for Feb. 23.

MEN'S ANNUAL DINNER.

The annual dinner of the gentlemen of the Unitarian Society will be held Friday evening, Feb. 26. At half past six o'clock there will be an informal reception in the parlor to be followed by the dinner at seven o'clock. Mr. Marcellus Coggan, Esq., will preside. Mr. T. A. Fagan will speak on "Railroads and Public Welfare," and Mr. Franklin H. Wentworth on "Aims and Objects of Socialism." Music will be furnished by a quartette.

Harry E. Fiske is the new occupant of the residence at 9 Pine Street, where he has become a customer of the Edison Company for 50 electric lights.

SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES IN WINCHESTER.

The Winchester section of Evangelistic meetings connected with the great movement in Boston and vicinity was inaugurated on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, in the parlors of the Baptist Church. A large and representative body of the men of Winchester gathered together to listen to a presentation of the work ahead, and were organized into various committees to carry on the campaign. Mr. Lovejoy of Melrose, was present and described the work as it was carried on at Melrose, presenting very vividly the various phases of that most successful series of meetings. He congratulated the people of Winchester that they were to have with them as their leader, Rev. Arthur J. Smith, D. D. His labors at Melrose have been crowned with great success, and he proved himself to be a most wise and careful as well as earnest worker. He is a Presbyterian of fine education and is considered one of the very best of all of the evangelists which have been connected with the Chapman-Alexander series of meetings in Greater Boston. His services will begin in Winchester, on Feb. 18, and continue for ten days Before his arrival services are to hold on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week and every night of next week.

Mr. Lovejoy described the workings of the various committees, and explained different methods employed to inform the people of the meetings. He spoke of the attention which had been given to the meetings everywhere by the newspapers, which have not only welcomed announcements of services but have given much space to reports of the sermons, and descriptions of the meetings. These have been sent far and wide, carrying the story of the work, and leading to the beginning of interest in other places. The attention of the public has been called to the services in many ways, such as church banners displayed on the edifices where meetings are to be held, notices in the trolley cars, bill-boards at important centres, leaflets and cards of welcome for general distribution. In every way possible the effort is made to convey information and manifest the welcome extended by the churches to these services.

The leaflet distributed in Winchester says: "the wonderful success of the great Chapman-Alexander meetings in Greater Boston has created a demand for meetings to be held in Winchester.

"After prayerful consideration and after consultation with Dr. Chapman the committee from the participating churches in the Winchester group has secured Rev. A. J. Smith, D. D. to come and hold services from Feb 18 to 28, that being the earliest he could come. Before that date services are to be held on Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week and every night of next week. You are most cordially invited to come and bring your friends and gain the inspiration and help to be obtained from hearing the blessed gospel of Jesus Christ. A fine Union Chorus will lead in singing the Alexander songs that are so well liked everywhere. We trust you will not let anything prevent you from attending and getting there at an early hour".

Many questions were asked at this initial meeting in the Baptist Church, and then those present separated into the various committees to which they belonged, to plan the work ahead.

The following are chairmen of the groups: Rev. D. Augustine Newton of the General Committee; F. S. Osgood, Executive Committee; Arthur W. Hale, Finance; H. C. Sanborn, Music; John J. Murdock, Ushers; A. P. Briggs, Assistant: Dr. C. J. Allen, Invitation; D. C. Linscott, Jr., Publicity.

The first public service of the campaign was held on Wednesday evening in the First Congregational Church. The tremendous downpour of rain in the afternoon made the walking anything but good, but a fine audience was present. A platform has been built in the front of the church for the chorus choir, which was led by Mr. Harry C. Sanborn. Alexander's Gospel Hymn book was used, and in the opening praise service all joined in singing, "Don't Stop Praying," "He Will Hold Me Fast," two of the recent favorites were sung, and "What A Treat We Have in Jesus" and others of old favorites. Rev. D. Augustine Newton welcomed the people and made the necessary announcements, and Rev. Mr. Chaffee offered prayer.

Rev. Thomas Sims, D. D., of Melrose, read a passage of Scripture and preached the sermon. He described at first the great religious awakening in Melrose, and of the great blessings which come to a people in going through a season of revival. He told of the preparation which had been made in Melrose for the work, of the Congregational, Baptist and Methodist Churches united in beautiful harmony. It was worth while for this fellowship alone, to go to the large expense. Besides the union services, 12 to 15 cottage prayer meetings were held in different sections of the town. This was done for three weeks and while the meetings were not large ones, yet the people got close together in sympathy and longing. At some of these cottage meetings 25 were present, at others a smaller number. On one night in the week a union meeting was held A growing religious interest was manifest.

On Friday night the people met in their own churches. On Jan 12 Rev. Dr. Smith came, and since then the work has been going on with more power. The preparation of the people had made them ready for his coming. While at first there was naturally an element of curiosity, this soon disappeared. The Baptist Church has been the centre of the services. Over 500 were present at the first service. On Sunday after Dr. Smith came the large congregation assembled in the Congregational Church. The work deepened in interest. Last Sunday afternoon a service for men was held in the City Hall. The place was packed, 1050 men listening to the gospel. At night the Baptist Church had an audience of nearly 1200, all eager to hear the truth. These growing congregations indicated an increasing interest. Dr. Smith preached with power. He aims to bring men face to face with God. He sets forth that there is an eternal distinction between right and wrong, and then urges home the salvation which is in Jesus Christ. The result of this preaching has been that over 300 people have shown their interest in religious living. There have been some striking instances. One occurred last Sunday in the men's meeting. A young man came forward to speak with the minister. He had been living foolishly and was dissatisfied. He had come to the meeting without interest. But he had begun to think. Life was unsatisfactory, as he had lived. He must make a change, and he had come forward to shake hands. He could only stammer Dr. Sims' name and rushed out. But he came back after a while and asked, "Can I come to see you?" The next night he came with the news that he had found the way. He had all the day been walking with God, and had simply come to the minister now to share his joy. There were many other instances, all showing that the gospel of the grace of Christ is still the power of God unto salvation.

Yesterday was church day in Melrose. Most of the men had gone to business in Boston. But the chapel was full. After a little opening service, testimonies were asked for, and for an hour they poured out their testimonies. It was a marvelous occurrence for Melrose, where prayer meetings had been small in attendance, and there was little to talk about.

Now God is willing to do just as good things for you people in Winchester.

Dr. Sims then alluded to the first chapter of John, which describes how Andrew brought his brother Simon to Jesus, and Philip found Nathaniel and sent him to Jesus. From this illustration Dr. Sims spoke very earnestly of the need and blessing of personal work in leading people to Christ. This was illustrated by the speaker in the narration of several cases of conversion. But there was one danger, namely, lest by dwelling too largely on the striking and unusual cases of conversion, there should be produced in people the expectation in their own case of some striking experience, whereas the large number of people come quietly into the new personal relation with their God. But each one must come in his own way, and his own experience is the basis for his appeal to others. As you dwell on the love of Christ for yourself and your own experience of that love, you gain power to win others.

He appealed to all to make full use of the days of preparation.

In closing he narrated a scene in the Melrose work as illustrating the need of courage. At a gathering of 1050 men in the City Hall, many of whom were Christians, there was profound indifference. After his sermon Dr. Smith appealed for a decision to serve Christ. To this they seemed obdurate. Men braced themselves against it. He appealed again with no effect. He kept on, soon some responded, some 30 or more. Still more urgent was the preacher. Some were made angry. But he did well to make them angry, and break up the stolid indifference which had characterized them. There is a great need that Christians should give themselves heartily to God, if they would win the world outside.

Rev. Mr. Newton followed with a brief appeal to the people including himself, his fellow ministers, with the audience, in the exhortation.

After the service was over, the various committees met for conference in the vestry, and the choir rehearsed gospel hymns under the direction of Mr. Sanborn.

A MUSICAL TREAT.

Mr. Joshua Phippen has consented to give two Organ Recitals at the Unitarian Church, the first to occur on the evening of Sunday, February 28th, and the second on Palm Sunday evening, April 4th. In the first, he is to be assisted by Mr. Richard Czerwonky, the eminent violin virtuoso.

In view of the fact that the centennial of Mennelssohn's birth occurred on February 3rd, and that of Chopin comes on March 1st, the music for the first recital will be chosen chiefly from the works of these two composers. An exception to this will be, that Czerwonky will play J. S. Bach's Chaconne for the violin. This, which is one of the most difficult and masterful of Bach's compositions, was greatly admired by Mendelssohn, who wrote an accompaniment for it. Czerwonky will play it however, unaccompanied.

These Recitals will introduce and close the annual series of Vesper Services at the Unitarian Church. On the four intervening Sundays, and at the same hour (seven in the evening), four prominent Unitarian clergymen will preach, and special musical orders of service will be rendered. Fuller notices will be given later.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

Miss Elizabeth Gordon, acting president of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U. spoke before the Western Missionary Society of the First Congregational Church last week, on temperance missionary work. She also spoke of the work with Spain with which her sister, Alice Gordon Gulick, was for so many years prominently identified. After her address a number of women expressed their interest in the work of the Union and wished to become members.

The local union is making an effort to increase its membership this year, the State being engaged in a contest for a prize to be awarded to the Union making the largest proportionate increase.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

The Fortnightly meeting on Monday was well attended. The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved. The treasurer read a very gratifying report.

It was voted to change the date of the first meeting in April from April 12 to April 5. It was voted The Fortnightly present the school and appropriations committee a request that instruction in cooking be reinstated in the public schools of Winchester.

The Dramatic committee would like more time to prepare the drama planned for March 8. Very fortunately Dr. Roland Grant has been secured for that date. Dr. Grant is called one of the most eloquent speakers in the lecture field of today.

Attention is called to the next meeting, February 22, which is "Gentleman's Night." It was expected Judge Ben. B. Lindsey would be the speaker of the evening. But political reasons make it necessay for him to cancel all dates for lectures in the East for the present. Great effort has been made to find some one of equal prominence to fill that date—being unsuccessful in that, the committee has prepared a program in which it would seem every one will find something to enjoy. One of our members has written a bright little play entitled "The Substitute," which will be presented by a number of the younger members. The Lotus Glee Club of Boston needs no introduction or recommendation to Winchester people.

There will be a social half hour and refreshments followed by dancing. Music provided by an orchestra. Club members present membership tickets, all other admissions 50 cents each. Tickets may be secured of Mrs. Mary F. B. Woods, 69 Parkway, Tel. 173-8, or at the door.

The Massachusetts State Federation will hold its midwinter meeting in Medford on Friday, Feb. 19, 1909, in the Mystic Congregational Church on Salem street. Morning session 10 a. m. Professor George P. Baker, of Harvard University, will speak on "The child and the Theatre." Presentation of new clubs and of legislative measures will follow—Afternoon session at 1.45 o'clock. Half hour of music, then Professor Earl Barnes will speak on "Recreation as a Constructive force."

Delegates from The Fortnightly—Mrs. Minnie C. Ely and Mrs. Annie M. Dunning.

Luncheon tickets may be obtained of Mrs. A. F. Waitt, 70 High street, Medford at 50 cents each. Send an order with money enclosed and self-addressed and stamped envelope for return of tickets, before Wednesday, February 17. No tickets will be sold on the day of the meeting and there are no restaurants in Medford.

PUBLIC DRESS REHEARSAL

"Isle of Bamboo"

It has been decided by the Show Committee that inasmuch as many townspeople have been unable to procure seats to the evening performance, that a matinee or a public dress rehearsal, be given in the Town Hall on Saturday afternoon, February 20 at 2 o'clock.

All seats will be reserved at 50 and 75 cents each and will be on sale at Abare's and Knight's drug stores on Saturday, Feb. 13th.

This will afford a splendid opportunity for the children to see the comedy, and as the place of action is largely on an ocean steamer in a most terrific storm, and later upon the Cannibal Island among those wild natives, it will be much enjoyed. The entire performance will be given precisely as in the evening.

ORGAN RECITAL

The regular monthly organ recital at the Church of the Epiphany will be given on the Sunday of Feb. 14, at 4.15 P. M.

Mr. J. Albert Wilson the organist will be assisted by Mr. Albert Edmund Brown, Basso, supervisor of music in the public schools in Winchester. The larger part of the program will be devoted to Mendelssohn's compositions in commemoration of that composer, the 100th anniversary of whose birth is being celebrated this month.

Below is the programme:—

1. Sonata No. 4 — Mendelssohn
   a Allegro con brio b Andante
   c Allegro Maestoso
2. Lord God of Abraham," from Elijah — Mendelssohn
3. Adagio, (from third Symphony) — Mendelssohn
4. "It is Enough", from Elijah, — Mendelssohn
5. Largo, (from the "New World Symphony) — Dvorkák
6. March, Pontificale, (from first Symphony) — Widor

Miss Margaret Doherty of Clark street entertained a number of her friends at her home last Friday evening, the occasion being the observance of her 20th birthday.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The political situation will take on additional interest from now until the time of holding the caucus, next week Thursday evening, because of the determination of Town Clerk Carter not to seek a re-election. He will also decline to be a candidate for the Board of Overseers of the Poor. The decision not to be a candidate for these two offices has been considered by Mr. Carter for a long time, but it was not until yesterday that he fully made up his mind to retire. The reason for his doing so is because of poor health, and a desire to be free from all official cares in the hope that a rest will be productive of beneficial results. A most excellent Town Clerk, his retirement will be regretted by the citizens generally. But it is as secretary of the Board of Overseers of the Poor that his loss of services will be most felt. He knows the duties of this office from a to z, and he can detect a case of imposition as quick as his eye alights on a would-be impostor. It will be exceedingly difficult to secure a man to fill this office, who, while compassionate to the unfortunate, can detect the fraud and thus protect the town's money. Mr. Carter's retirement will be a loss.

The candidates for the School Board are: C. E. L. Wingate for the one year term, M. B. May for the two year term, and Prof. Currier for the three year term. Mr. Edgar J. Rich has been asked to be a candidate, as appears in a letter printed below.

Two additional names have been mentioned for Selectmen. Dr. J. Churchill Hindes and John F. McNelly.

The caucus is next week Thursday evening, and the time for sending to the Town Clerk names of candidates expires Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Make note of this. The call for both can be found on page seven.

The following offices are to be filled at the March meeting, also the the names of those whose terms expires: Five Selectmen for one year, James F. Dwinell, W. D. Richards, F. W. Winn, F. E. Barnard, Peter Walling; Assessor for three years, F. V. Wooster; Overseer of Poor for three years, George H. Carter; Treasurer, one year, Thomas S. Spurr; Collector, one year, John G. Hovey, Auditor, one year, William H. Herrick: Water and Sewer Board, three years, Sanford D. Leland; Park Commissioner, three years, Preston Pond; Cemetery Commissioner, five years, Samuel W. Twombly; Board of Health, Marshall W. Jone; School Committee, three members, Dr. A. F. Blaisdell who declines to be a candidate, and C. E. L. Wingate and M. B. May, who were elected to fill vacancies until the March meeting; Trustee Town Library, three years, George H. Eustis; Tree Warden, one year, Irving T. Guild.

Mr. George A. Barron, who is a candidate for Selectman, is a Past Noble Grand of Siloam Lodge of Odd Fellows and was treasurer of the Odd Fellows Home Committee; a charter member of Winchester Lodge, A. O. U. W., and its second presiding officer, later its treasurer, and after the death of Joseph J. Todd, was elected on the Board of Directors; is a member of the First Congregational Church; is secretary of the New England Association of Opticians; one of the promoters and charter members of the Mass. Optical Society, was elected the first secretary and still holds that office; a charter member of the New England Optical Institute, an institution which later opened the Pleasant Street Eye Infirmary with Mr. Barron as assistant; a life member of Woburn Royal Arch Chapter; Treasurer of William Parkman Lodge for the last 14 years, and Treasurer of its Masonic Home Committee.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I should like to suggest the name of Mr. Edgar J. Rich for the third member of the School Committee. Mr. Rich is so well known in the town that it is hardly necessary for me to say anything as to his fitness for the Board, but from a long personal acquaintance with him I can say that I think he is one of the best equipped men in the town for the position. He is a clear headed man of great ability, and of the very highest ideals, and I think would be an ideal School Committeeman. As he said in his letter to the STAR that the best men of the town of Winchester are always ready to do their duty by the town, I think he could hardly refuse to serve the town just at this time when we want one more good man to look after our schools. I am very sure that if he were nominated he would be elected by a large vote, and under the present condition of affairs it seems to me that there is now a good opportunity to show that the best men are willing to serve the town.

W. D. RICHARDS.

Miss A. M. Pease won the third prize of two dollars for a framed picture, at the exhibition of art embroidery at Gilchrist & Co's, Boston.

One of the new houses on Fenwick road has been sold to Charles W. Hinman of Roslindale, who will soon move into it.

HISTORY OF WINCHESTER.

DOROTHY MAY AYER, W. H. S. '09.

The following is the third of the series of four compositions written by High school scholars in competition for the prize offered by The Fortnightly.

Many years ago our beautiful town of Winchester bore the name of Waterfield. The town was very appropriately named, for it embraced only the land along the banks of the Aberjona, from Mystic Lake to Winchester Highlands, and the land near Horn Pond and Horn Pond Hill.

The General Court thought it would be a good plan to build up a village here, so in 1640 it gave to Charlestown the right "to make a village" in the land which now takes in Woburn, Burlington and Wilmington. It was the intent of Charlestown to grant her territory to her own citizens. A committee of thirteen was chosen to set the boundary between this and Charlestown and to decide on the place for the village. Disputes arose. Some members agreed to the boundaries and some did not, so that they did not get on very fast with this village.

Then some of the leaders of the Puritan church took it into their heads to establish a new church and a new town. As the Puritan church at that time had just as much authority, and sometimes more than the civil authority, they went boldly ahead in founding Charlestown Village. The church chose a committee of seven to carry out the work, and they did so well, that in 1640, the above commissioners instead of opposing, gave them full power to continue.

At this time the country, which these men were trying to settle, was known as the "remote country." It was such dense and unsettled [illegible] wander by means of the compass through swamps and underbrush. The earliest settlers were obliged at times to seek shelter from rain under a hillside, and many times the water would sink through and they would get cold and wet. And Indians lived with their Queen around the lake. However, in spite of their hardships, they plodded on. They thinned out their land, tilled land for farms, fished the ponds, and traded with the Indians for venison.

The first house was built in 1640 by Edward Converse. It was located about opposite where Whitney's mill now stands. It was thirty-five feet by thirty and had in it nineteen windows. It remained standing for two hundred years. The first meeting of the settlers was held in this house.

Edward Converse, the one who led the settlers here, was a Puritan of the finest type, and is often spoken of as the father of Winchester. He left his luxurious surroundings in England, and his comfortable home in Charlestown, to do his part in founding this town. And he did his part, too. It was he who established the first ferry between Charlestown and Boston, and he who started the first place of business in 1641—the "corne mill." Indeed his perseverence did much in giving his fellowmen courage.

In 1640 the first bridge was laid over the Aberjona, at the place where the milldam is now. This bridge they called Cold or "Could" bridge, because it was built on a cold winter's day.

Charlestown Village became Woburn in 1642.

Woburn was now quite a prosperous little town. The people had to work hard, but began to feel repaid for their labors, for the land became fertile and yielded good crops.

Most every man in town was a farmer. Some of these farmers were such men as John Harvard, who gave Harvard College some money and for whom it was named and Thomas Graves, master of first ship built in Boston. Other dwellers were the families of Richardson, Converse, Carter, Johnson and Symmes.

In 1660 the highway through the centre, now Main street was only a forest path.

On April 10th, 1676, a band of Indians entered the house of Samuel Richardson on Washington street near Prince avenue and killed and scalped his wife and son. Then the nurse took the child and tried to escape to the garrison, but to save her own life, was obliged to drop the child, which was killed by the Indians. The Indians were chased, but not caught and punished, as they should have been.

In 1691, the Selectmen of Woburn appointed two men, James Converse and Lieutenant William Johnson to seek out a supply of ammunition for the town. Now this order came from higher powers, and as these men did not do as they were bid, the town was fined. But Winchester didn't let it happen again!

On September 5th, 1724, there was a skirmish with the Indians at Dunstable. In this skirmish, three men were killed. One of these was Benjamin Carter of Woburn (Winchester). He was a young man of twenty-three years of age, and the last time he was seen was when he was riding on horse back down what is now Andrews Hill.

Black Horse Tavern is one of the important things in Winchester's history. It was located at the foot of what is now Black Horse Terrace. This house at one time gave the village its name—Black Horse Village. During the Revolution it was the stopping place for the patriots. It was a stage route [illegible] to Montreal and Quebec. Stephen Swan and his light infantry troops put up here after guarding Dorchester Heights. And it was here that the welcome news of peace was received.

The very first church of Winchester was built in 1840. It was put fifty or sixty feet nearer the street than the present Congregational one is, and nearer the grade crossing. It was a small church, but it had a bell. The bell was one which hung in an old rickety church in Waltham. It would be a risky task to take this bell down but the people of Waltham agreed to let our people have it at a low price, if they could get it down. The bell had a "sweet melody" and our men wanted it and so obtained it. The church was burned down November 23, 1853, and while it was in flames the bell gave (by itself) its farewell toll.

From 1834 to 1836 that part of Winchester near the grade crossing was called "Woburn Gates" because the gates were closed when the trains were going by. The first railway connecting Boston and Lowell did not have any provision for the business of the town and no station was built. At that time people wishing to go "in town," (to Boston) had to walk to Walnut hill and pay one dollar fare. The first railroad station in Winchester was a little ten by fifteen shoemaker's shop, opposite Lyceum Hall. As the town grew, larger ones were erected. In 1872 the depot was erected in its present place. There was much opposition about this affair and it was only through Samuel Richardson's farsightedness that it was put where it is, for he saw the business advantages and the probability of a new town.

Before this depot was changed Winchester was doing very little business. The streets were few and the houses far apart. Even the railroad gates were tended by bystanders. The trains went but once in a great while. And when one did go by, the people would come for miles to see the steam monster as they called it. The trains were like the old stage coaches. The engine had no cab for the engineer, and the conductor and brakeman stood on top of the cars. The trains didn't keep any special time but one could get to Boston in a day!

In 1850 South Woburn became Winchester. The town was started clear of debt, and her motto was "Economy and Payment." The town was named after Colonel Winchester. He was an accomplished man and a well respected citizen. As an expression of his appreciation, Colonel Winchester left the town a large sum of money. A part of this was spent for Wildwood Cemetery, as before this they had only the small churchyard burying ground. The rest was returned to the Town Treasury in 1885. Later a part was spent for a clock bell, and if you go up in the tower of the town hall now you will see on the bell, "This bell and clock commemorate the gift of Colonel P. Winchester to the town which bears his name."

Winchester had the advantage of being a new town and of watching other towns in order to avoid foolish errors. She had no expensive buildings to put up, and the gift of Col. Winchester helped her a great deal. The school committee took charge of the schools and there was one uniform system of administration.

The same year she was incorporated our glorious high school was started. The number of people, which was but 801, didn't really require the school, but we are glad now that it was begun, for only think of the gain it has made. At that time it was the smallest town [illegible] cational purposes.

During the years of Civil War (1861 to 1865) Winchester furnished two hundred and forty-four men, which speaks well for such a small town. Ten of these men died and a good many of the others were officers.

In the year 1873 the great question of town water supply was brought up. It was a big question and it took a good deal of discussion, but it was finally decided to use the gravity supply system. So then Winchester went to work on those beautiful reservoirs, which we have in the Fells.

In 1887 the corner stone of our town hall was laid, and three years later it was completed.

Since that time we have seen a boulevard put through, our fine High and Grammar schools built, and the playground on Manchester Field put in use. And all the other things which show the interest of citizens and officers of the town.

REGISTER NOW!

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of Registering New Voters as follows:

At the Town Hall on Tuesday Evening February 16, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Also at the Town Hall Building, Pleasant Street, Saturday afternoon and Evening, February 20, from 12 o'clock noon, until 10 o'clock in the evening, which will be the last day of Registration.

See that your name is on the Voting List of your Town; if not there call at the office of the Board of Registrars on the days above mentioned and be registered or you cannot vote. Bring with you a certificate from the Assessors or a tax bill or notice from the Collector of Taxes showing that you have been assessed a poll tax.

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NATURE STUDY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Nature study, which is conceded to be a very important study by educators, is not receiving in a great many communities the development that it should. Just what is being done in this direction in Winchester I do not know, but I believe it safe to assert that Winchester isn't doing any more than her sister communities here about—and that is very little. The great obstacle in the development of this study is the difficulty in the way of acquiring exhibitions of specimens. In a large city this situation is easily met because the schools can get the loan of material from natural history museums but in communities like Winchester this problem is rather difficult of solution. However, some arrangement might be made with the Boston Museum of Natural History whereby exhibits could be placed in the public schools. The transportation of the exhibits is not the important question. The securing of the cooperation of the natural history museum authorities is the chief problem.

The cooperation of the museum secured, the cabinets containing the collections should be placed in a classroom just long enough to enable the pupils to become familiar with the structure, habits and characteristics of the particular species in the collection. The specimens would include native birds, insects, mollusks, crabs, starfish, worms, sponges, corals, minerals, rocks and native woods, and each collection should be accompanied by a copy of notes, brief, but in the nature of suggestions to the teachers, and to the notes should be appended a bibliography of the subjects treated.

The subjects in the collections not only would serve for nature studies, but for models for drawing, for the themes for composition and various other purposes. These collections where in use in public schools are proving invaluable. For instance, recently in one of the small schools on the lower east side in New York City the teacher was called out of the room, and the class was left alone for nearly three-quarters of an hour. The assistant to the principal of the school went in and told the children that she was going into an adjoining room to do some work and would give them a new exhibit just received, to amuse them, but that as soon as she heard the slightest noise she would take it away. She placed a stuffed [illegible] so interesting [illegible] that she [illegible] them for forty minutes, and their teacher going in suddenly, found them congregated around the bird petting it, stroking its wings and discussing it in their own juvenile way.

Morris C. Valentine, of the Wadleigh High School for girls, New York City, a teacher of nature study and an enthusiast on the subject, has this to say:—

"The idea of facing the facts themselves, instead of merely reading about them or hearing them described, is the keynote of the nature-study work in the public schools. We no longer keep our nose in a book when trying to get acquainted with the world in which we live, but in the most successful study of nature we do away with books altogether, or at least subordinate them to occasional use for reference. Instead of saying, as in the old days: 'Take so many pages in your 'Gray's Lessons' for tomorrow,' the modern teacher of nature study will not at first assign a task in the textbook at all. When the class files into the room for the work next day, there will be found on each desk a specimen or two of the plant or animal form to be studied at the time.

"It is to be noted that each student makes his own text-book in the present plan of work. After the verbal questions and answers have made a given specimen pretty clear to a class, loose sheets of paper are given out, and on these students make outline drawings. When the labelled drawings are complete the important features of the object are described in words, and comparisons are instituted with allied forms. Then the drawings, descriptions and comparisons, together with material gleaned from reference books are all bound up together in a single cover and a detailed index is prepared.

"A book of this sort is a real achievement, since it represents insight into the problems each living thing has to solve, and the varied methods employed in solving the life-problem, and finally a conviction that a healthy life is to be enjoyed on condition of following gladly the laws worked out and verified by careful experiment. In addition there will have been gained the power to express in drawings and in words, things more or less new to the student, while the incidental discipline in neatness, accuracy, fulness and system is no small matter by itself. Insight into the way that facts are gained and verified in natural science tends to make one more careful and critical in the study of other subjects in which books alone are almost the sole source of information.

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TREE WARDEN

Editor of the Star:

The following taken from Woodland and Roadside I hope you will find room for in your next issue: X

"The late Samuel Hoar of Concord said that the only public office he ever sought was that of tree warden, and so long as he lived he served his town in that capacity and most efficiently. It is safe to say that Mr. Hoar was one of the best wardens that the state has produced and yet he was not a technically trained tree man. Mr. Hoar was a distinguished corporation lawyer. Other notable cases might be cited of successful wardens who were business men, lawyers, doctors, and even representatives of that supposedly unpractical class, the writers. It is also true that some of the greatest failures in this important office have been men chosen because of their knowledge of trees. Naturally it does not follow that the professional or amateur arboriculturist is an unsuitable man for this position, nor that the most desirable warden is made from a man who knows nothing of the subject. The basic fact for the voters to recognize is this, that the office of tree warden is one of the most important within the gift of the town and that no man should be chosen to fill that post who would not at least make an acceptable selectman. Any one who will take the pains to read the body of laws under which a tree warden acts will recognize at once that here is a position which not only calls for a good executive head, but equally for a man of even judgment. It is indeed a semi-judicial post, and in many towns it is of far greater importance to select a man for his judicial capacity, for his knowledge of men and the ways of men, than for his insight into the life history of trees.

"It is earnestly hoped that no town will be so careless of its best interests as to elect as tree warden a man who is in any wise incompetent.

"It is hoped that members of this association and all other readers of these lines who are citizens of towns in this commonwealth will take pains to enquire into the qualifications of the candidates for tree warden in their towns, and determine if there are suitable persons for election. It would be an admirable act of good citizenship to secure suitable candidates and aid in their election. This article has been written because of the abuse of this office of tree warden by some of our towns. Public sentiment needs to be awakened in those places so that it may no longer be possible for a notorious shirk and "ne'er-do-weel" to be elected as tree warden without opposition.

"The Massachusetts Forestry Association is anxious to see a suitable person elected to this office in every town this spring. As an organization the association cannot properly interfere in town affairs; it must therefore rely upon the public spirit and interest of its members who hold citizenship in our towns to attend to these details."

MR. ELDER AS TOASTMASTER

The Yale Club of Boston, of which Samuel J. Elder, Esq., is president, met last Friday evening at the Exchange Club to toast Harvard athletics and Dartmouth progressiveness.

In introducing the speakers, Mr Elder alluded to the Harvard victories of the last year and said that Yale neither predicted victory nor explained defeat.

Mr. Elders's words on President Eliot received repeated rounds of applause. He said: "We have confessed to concern, aye to the distinguished hope, and are rejoiced that the magnificent product of the last four decades has shown no halting step. We have united in veneration, as well as affection, for the leader through those four decades. We have recognized a man unique in education and unique in public position."

Diaries and line-a-day books—Wilson the Stationer.

SUNDAY NOON CONFERENCE.

A number of prominent Winchester gentlemen have lately perfected an organization which they have named "The Business Men's Sunday Noon Conference," the object of which is to promote the intellectual and moral welfare of the town. It was patterned somewhat after the "Men's Club" of the First Congregational Church of Woburn, which was formed and flourished some years ago, but finally died out, as quite likely the Winchester society will do in time. A few evenings ago Hon. Howell Crosby of Arlington, who ably represents this District in the present State Senate, addressed the Conference on the subject of City Charters, in which production the proposed new one for Boston was highly extolled by him. How such a dry theme could possibly have interested a large company of intelligent gentlemen for a full hour, or any other period of time, is beyond our comprehension; but the meeting was reported as having been enthusiastic, and that Senator Crosby won oratorical honors. The learned classes of Winchester, however, demand solid brain food to thrive on, and the Conference here under consideration may not be, perhaps, as much given to the pleasures of the table as was its Woburn prototype, and may, therefore exist longer than it did.—Woburn Journal.

PARENT AND TEACHERS MEET

An exchange says that "Framingham has led other places in the inauguration of a custom which should become a fixture there and in every municipality. New Year's day the teachers of the High School held a reception to which the parents of the pupils of the schools were invited. Formalities were dis,ensed with and the two elements most important for shaping the careers and principles of the children brought close together. The result of an exchange of ideas and the discussion of methods looking toward a better understanding cannot fail to be for the greater co-operation of parents and teachers. The innovation is a commendable one."

It might be well to state that Winchester has for several years held meetings of teachers and parents and the results have been quite satisfactory.

WONDERLAND AT AUCTION.

Wonderland at Revere beach will be sold at auction sometime in March to satisfy the mortgagee.

The bondholders and stockholders, who are one and the same with two exceptions representing the younger element in State street, got together recently and after a committee report it was decided to dispose of the property in order to satisfy the creditors. The American trust company is trustee for the mortgagee.

Many reasons are ascribed for the failure of the big amusement resort, but last seasons hard times had much to do with it.

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TO THE "PUPIL OF THE W. H. S."

Dear Boy:—

Your cry, that "the towns people be more interested in our affairs," touches my heart. I am glad you had the courage to "Hitch your wagon to a Star."

Your letter has done more to open the eyes of the community to your needs than any communication which has preceded it. We are beginning to understand the benefit of "frats," dances, and plays.

Your knowledge of spelling and English composition astounds us! One can readily imagine your need of recreation after such close application to your studies.

The town ought to fit you for a position as "Casey at the Bat," as well as for the chair of a Professor of Literature.

When I attended school, more than half a century ago, a boy's "natural bent" was not taken into consideration.

We were all taught alike, to thoroughly master the rudiments of an English education and to pay due deference to our elders.

Neither the town in which I was born, nor the one where I received the most of my education, boasted of a High School. I regret to say that I was never graduated from anything. I never saw a class-pin.

When a lad wished to prepare for College, our pastor, or good doctor—we had no lawyer—always stood ready with gratuitous help. The little towns were not able to give us the advantages which children of the presnt generation enjoy, but we tried to be grateful for what we had.

A President, and U. S. Senator, together with a few eminent men and women, went out from our midst to contribute their share toward the good of the country.

I pity the Winchester boys! They have things made too easy for them. They are losing their sense of obligation to those who pay the "expenses." If they had to work six months of the year to earn a chance to attend school the other six months, as many men who are now supporting the schools used to do, perhaps they would make less complaint.

Yes, my lad, I pity you. I will try to take a greater interest in your affairs, and if that "school commity" fail in duty I will endeavor to see that the voters do not.

Yours for fair play.

An Old Veteran.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

George Adams Woods has sold for Elmer C. Esty the new 11 room house built by plans of Robert Coit, Architect, on Copley St., situated on lot 176 which contains 11,187 square feet of land, to Edgar E. Fay of the Boston Woven Hose Co., who has bought for a home.

On December second, Mrs. Ella H. Hazeltine sold through the office of George Adams Woods, her 12 room house and 14,979 square feet of land on Stratford Road to George H. Wood, who under Mr. Wood's direction put the house in thorough repair and made extensive improvements including new granolithic walks, tiling, electric fixtures etc. The same property remodelled was sold on Jan 26th to Mr. Martin A. Brown, Treasurer of the Woodstock Lumber Co. and formerly of Wilmington, Vermont, who has bought for a home.

Through the same office Henry C. Ordway has agreements signed for the sale of his new house and 9,000 square feet of land on the Mystic Valley Parkway, to a purchaser who buys for a home and whose name is withheld until papers are passed.

Wouldn't the first of the new year be a good time to take out a fire insurance policy? Geo. Adams Woods.

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KEITH'S THEATRE.

Eva Tanguay, who has been the sensation of the week in Boston will hold over and head another big bill at Keith's Theatre. Miss Tanguay's new songs have struck the town with greater force than those with which she attained popularity and she is now unquestionably the strongest drawing card in vaudeville.

Another headline feature on this bill will be Mary Saunders, who has probably the largest following of any local individual player, and an excellent company made up of entirely Boston favorites. It will include Walter Walker, Rose Morison and Herbert Yost, another stock favorite. They will appear in a condensed version of that famous play, "Nance Oldfield."

Still another favorite is on the bill in that clever little English boy, Laddie Cliff, whose eccentric dancing carried the town by storm last summer.

The Mirza Golem Troupe of acrobats have proved one of the big hits of the week and they have also been retained. Others on the bill are Niblo's Wonderful Birds; the Bison City Four, said to be the very best quartette now before the public; Cartmell and Harris in a sketch, and Paganini's Ghost, a decided novelty in vaudeville. Other strong features make up what will be one of the very best bills of the season at this popular playhouse.

"A WALTZ DREAM"

Direct from its long and highly successful run at the Broadway Theatre, New York and with the entire metropolitan cast and production "A Waltz Dream" will come to the Tremont Theatre, Boston, beginning Monday, February 15. So much has been written of the success of this charming Viennese operetta, of its entrancing music by Oscar Strauss, its gorgeousness of costume and production that it should meet with a rousing reception during its engagement here.

The role of Joachim XIII will be played by Henry F. Donnelly, Miss Sophie Brandt will appear as Franzi, the directress of the woman's orchestra, Miss Octavio Braske will be seen as the Princess Helene while Joseph W. Herbert, who is also responsible for the English book and lyrics will be the Count Lothar. "A Waltz Dream" is said to be mounted with the utter disregard of expense that characterizes the production of the Interstate Amusement Company. One scene shows the festival hall in the king's palace, another shows a delightfully romantic summer garden with kiosks, shady walks and a women's orchestra, and the third shows the palace drawing room. Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday, and a special Matinee will be given on Washington's Birthday.

A bill to prohibit physicians from compounding or dispensing medicine intended for a human being unless he is a qualified pharmacist as well as a medical practitioner has been filed with the Legislature. The measure provides that in case of an emergency the doctor may supply the medicine as well as the advice. This is in keeping with a lot of food bills being presented to the present Legislature.

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Congressman McCall Honored.

Congressman McCall has been invited to become psesident of Dartmouth College. Mr. McCall has the offer under advisement and will give his decision next summer. Our Congressman has a great love for his present duties, and this disposition is strengthened in the belief that his present constituency will send him to Congress for many years to come. To offset this is the high honor of being president of this great college, an honor that comes to but few men. His salary in this office would be $10,000 a year and a handsome residence. Dartmouth wants him, so to, do his constituents. It will be no small task for him to decide.

"HISTORY OF WINCHESTER."

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The interesting composition printed in last week's STAR written by a High School scholar entitled History of Winchester, may be commended as a composition, but in truth it should not be regarded in any sense as history. History is a record of facts and in the article in question the facts recorded are not historically correct and therefore the title of the article is incorrect and misleading. No one regards Knickerbocker's History of New York as history although it is a delightfully written book. In the same manner some of the late High School historical papers may be very interesting but, not responsive or truthful to the subject given to them to write upon, the History of Winchester.

Incorrect or untruthful historical statements should not be allowed to pass as history, especially when made [illegible] the press by the scholar, but by those in charge of the composition, which was not awarded a prize by the awarding committee simply because it was not historically correct, although it was well written as an essay or composition.

Passing over the imaginary conversation of "mine host" with his unknown guest which all recognize as delightfully presented for so young a writer, let us question the historical statements which follow the introduction. The article states that Winchester was only called South Woburn "since the railroad was started in 1835," but before then it was Waterfield and before then Charlestown. The facts are that present Winchester was known as South Woburn many years before the railroad was built, and it never was known as Waterfield except as a part of Charlestown several years before either Woburn or Winchester was set off from Charlestown. The only known record of the southerly part of Woburn and much of present Winchester being known as Waterfield is in the Charlestown Book of Possessions, compiled in 1638, four years before Woburn was incorporated. This book described Charlestown estates and farms of that date but subsequent to 1638, especially since 1642 when Waterfield became a part of Woburn. There is not the least record that any part of present Winchester was known as Waterfield.

In regard to Squaw Sachem, the description of her domestic affairs and her private relations to her husband are all fanciful and not historical. Ebenezer Converse was not "the first white settler here" and there is not the least bit of truth in the "Indian legend" about a girl named Aberjona who was drowned in the river, thus giving it its name. There is no record that the old Black Horse Tavern was a particular resort or meeting place of revolutionary "minute men." Colonel Winchester did not present the town of Winchester $5,000 for the express purpose of building a town hall, but for that purpose "or any other municipal expenditure." The town made use of the money to start a cemetery and it was said at that time that Mr. Winchester did not fancy the use to which the money was put and therefore did give the town more when he passed away. In regard to the story of the silver mine, it was promoted wholly by Medford people and the hole in the ground (now filled up) called the old silver mine, is not situated in Winchester or very near to it, but is located near Spot Pond in Medford and whatever history pertains to it belongs to Medford and not to Winchester.

This article is not written to discourage young writers from practising original composition which is one of the best lines of education, but to intimate to those having charge of publicly making known such school papers as especially relate to the history of Winchester, or any other locality, that truthfulness is a most important element in writing history and it should not be disregarded in favor of fanciful stories however prettily the latter may be expressed. To disregard correctness of facts in writing history is not right on the part of those having charge of publicly making known historical papers written by school children, neither is it right to disseminate incorrect historical statements from any quarter whether written by children or grown people.

ARTHUR E. WHITNEY.

SCHOOL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

At a meeting of the School Committee held on Friday evening February fifth it was decided to purchase a safe for the use of the School Department. The need of providing for the security of the school records and of the savings bank accounts against fire, of the office petty cash, street car tickets, from the amateur burgular etc., has been felt for some time and Dr. Blaisdell has been particularly interested in taking suitable action. The safe purchased is second hand but in excellent condition and large enough to serve for many years.

At the same meeting of the committee it was decided that a special notice shall be sent to the parents of all pupils of the High school who are not doing passing work to the amount of thirteen diploma points, and at the expiration of four weeks thereafter, if the improvement is not such as to justify a belief on the part of the teacher that the pupil's work for the current quarter will be rated as passing, the Principal may suspend such pupils from school.

This regulation shall not apply to hose pupils who have permission to do work whose diploma value is less than thirteen points, but all work attempted by such special students must be of at least the passing grade.

The foregoing is in continuation of the plan begun in October 1907 whereby pupils having a standing of 85 per cent. are excused from final examinations, diplomas are graded, and teachers return one afternoon each week for the purpose of affording special individual assistance to pupils who need it. The number of hours has been placed at thirteen because that is the amount of work that must be carried in order to complete the High school course in five years. The intention in this present action as well as in the decision by which beginning with September last the passing mark was raised from 60 per cent to 70 per cent is to reach those [illegible] practically none.

In connection with the foregoing it may be added that members of the Athletic teams will hereafter be required to carry and to maintain passing rank in at least thirteen hours of work. The school authorities believe in Athletics but they also believe that membership in school teams be based on passing rank in school work or the result will be bad.

The friends of the High school will be glad to learn that Arthur N. Holcombe W. H. S. 1901, Harvard 1906, has been appointed instructor of political economy at Harvard. We have now three graduates of Winchester High school on the Harvard faculty, Mr. Holcombe, Mr. Edwin B. Holt, assistant professor of psychology and Mr. Charles F. Dutch, instructor in equity in the Law School.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

February 8th, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Dan'l Murphy of Salem street called complaining of dumping in yard of Rumford School. Matter taken under advisement.

Voted Town Hall committee have two rods placed in each balcony, of the Town Hall to support said balcony same to be done before Friday next.

Voted bill of the Water Department to the Highway Department be referred to the Supt. of Streets.

Received petition from George Chandler Coit from Miss Emily C. Spicer asking for the laying out and acceptance of Curtis street from Pine street to Wedge Pond.

Voted to hold a hearing on same, Monday evening Feb. 15 next at 8 o'clock.

Warrants drawn for $2728.73 and $656.89.

Adjourned at 10.00 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

"WOMEN'S WAGES"

The talk by Miss Carrie E. Small before the Business Men's Conference last Sunday noon at First Baptist Chapel was exceedingly interesting.

The speaker aroused unusual interest by her remarkable ventilation of the subject. The unfairness toward women in the matter of wages was brought out clearly. Why should women do the same work as man and just as efficiently too, work the same hours, and yet receive only one half the wage?

Next Sunday Miss Small will speak on another phase of "Womem in Industry."

Aberjona Council, No. 1062, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "smoker" and entertainment in Harmony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 8 o'clock. Good time. Public cordially invited.

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SCHOOL SITUATION.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

It is well that we have now a definite statement of the reasons that led several teachers in the Winchester schools to accept positions in other places within recent years. To be sure, the matters that influenced the change are many of [illegible] given are more a reflection on the teachers themselves than on anyone else. "Indifference and unresponsiveness on the part of pupils are, I shall say, two important causes of the dearth of satisfactory results in Winchester" are the words of one teacher, who apparently does not appreciate the fact that the purpose of a teacher's efforts is to awaken interest in and stimulate to highest endeavor the pupils committed to her charge. The work of a teacher is not merely perfunctory, but presumes fitness and capacity as well as high ambition to lead her charges along the paths of knowledge. Human nature in young people, taken as a whole, is much the same as in their elders and does not vary greatly in different localities in the same section. If the statement quoted is true—and I do not question it—the teacher must be deficient in the leading qualifications that seem well nigh essential in an instructor of youth. "Overworked and over supervised" suggests an easy-going nature and an indolent habit, though I have no way of determining whether the inference is or is not a fair one in the case of the teacher who so declares.

The fact that a teacher is offered a higher salary elsewhere than she is receiving in Winchester is not in itself proof positive that our schools would suffer because of her leaving. It often happens in every organization—business social, political, religious and military—that prizes are not distributed strictly according to merit. It is altogether likely the same thing is true in the profession of teacher.

However, since the welfare and character of our schools has come under public discussion, let us profit by every helpful suggestion and endeavor to make the educational system in our town as efficient as can reasonably be demanded, to the end that our children may go out in life fairly well equipped, according to their several capacities, to meet the demands to be made upon them in whatever community their lot may be cast or whatever vocation it may be theirs to follow.

It does not appear, from the responses of the teachers as given in last week's STAR, that our school committee has discouraged teachers from offering suggestions which they—the teachers—considered likely to result, if adopted, in benefit to our schools as a whole or to any class of pupils. Let us be thankful if such is the case, for reasonable co-operation and mutual confidence as between teachers and committee and superintendent is of greatest importance in securing satisfactory results from the instruction given in our schools.

It does not appear to the writer, from all that has so far appeared, that the w[illegible] in Wildwood schools of Winchester are the byword and reproach in outside communities that some most excellent citizens would have us believe; nor, on the other hand, is it evident they are as excellent in all respects as could be desired. It may be that a radical change in the school committee and some changes in the teaching force are demanded at this time; but in considering the whole pupils clearly in mind.

Feb. 10, 1909. M. T.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Caucus the 18th and nothing doing yet. Apparently the only contest will be over Selectmen, and with the proposition of spending forty or more thousand dollars on the streets this year it certainly should be a strong board. But the system is weak and impossible of best results, even with a strong board.

Those citizens who are talking "pay as you go" should also state what they are willing to go without and what tax rate they will stand for. It is clear enough that bonds should not be issued for any kind of maintenance or going expenses, but for construction of things that will last for a long or considerable period of time. It is not only proper but fair to distribute the payments over several years.

I am informed on good authority that our grade crossing abolition decision will be filed in court this month. What will it be? I am afraid it will be such that it will get no support from this town But there will be time enough to worry when we know.

We don't want to go back to three year terms for Selectmen. We changed from that to annual terms several years ago and it has worked well. In this town if an official is satisfactory the voters are glad to return him, if he is unsatisfactory the sooner he is displaced the better. Leave it as it is.

Our valuation increased $506,000 last year, and pretty good authorities say it will be as much more this year. Perhaps so, but while real property is safe enough to base tax rates on, intangible property is anything but sure, and we should allow plenty of leeway against its illusiveness.

It is desirable that there should be more discussion in town meeting. In the last few years they have been altogether too Quakerish. Try and find out something connected with important matters that should be brought out in the public interest and then speak to it without fear or favor. There is always plenty of things that can be touched up to advantage in every town. Don't swallow reports.

Francis, the year and a half old son of Morris C. and Cremona (Wilkins) McCarthy, died at his parent's home, No. 42 Harvard street on Sunday. Funeral services were held Monday, conducted by Rev. Wm. Smith. The burial [illegible] Wildwood.

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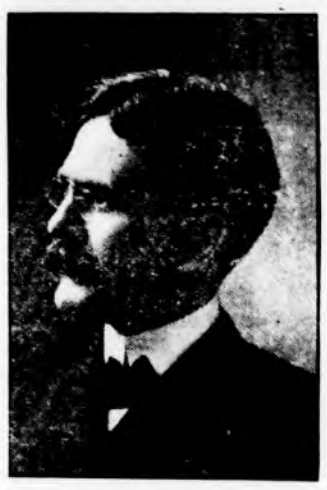

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BASKET BALL.

WINCHESTER 34. REVERE 8.

Winchester defeated Revere last Friday in the High school by the score of 34 to 8. The visitors were never in it for a minute, and had only a few shots for baskets. The passing done by Winchester kept Revere guessing about all the time. Collins was not on the floor owing to a bad cold, but Tuck proved himself to be a good substitute. Dover kept up his good record in basket throwing and succeeded in getting 7. He now has passed the 50 mark. Cameron played his usual consistant game. Nickoline played well for Revere.

The lineup:

WINCHESTER		REVERE
Cameron	rf	E Smith
Tuck	lf	Nickoline
Dover	c	Lincoln
Thompson	rg	Cleaves
Sharon	lg	Rouellard

Score: Winchester 34, Revere 8. Goals from floor made by Cameron 3, Dover 7, Thompson 3, Sharon 2, Nickoline 2, Lincoln. Goals from free tries, Cleaves 2. Referee, Mobbs. Timer, Neily. Time two 20 minute halves.

W. H. S. 2nd 15. R. H. S. 2nd 13.

The Winchester High School 2nd team added another victory to its long unbroken string by defeating Revere 2nd in a great game by the score of 15-13. The team was without the services of Tuck and Mortensen but nevertheless they put up a strong game and pulled out ahead. First one team lead in the scoring and then the other and it was only a question of time as to which one would be ahead when it would be called. Hamilton played his usual fine game.

The lineup:

WINCHESTER 2nd.		REVERE 2nd.
LeDuc	rf	Drummond
Grant	lf	Proctor
Hamilton	c	Sumter
Obregon	rg	Baker
Hanson	lg	Shaughnessy

Score: Winchester 2nd 15, Revere 2nd 13. Goals from the floor, LeDuc, Grant, Hamilton 3, Obregon, Hanson, Shaughnesy, Baker, Sumter, Proctor, Drummond 2. Goals from free tries, Hamilton, Sumter. Referee, Mobbs. Timer, Neily. Time 2 fifteen minute halves.

Melrose High defeated Winchester High Wednesday night in the fastest game of basket ball exhibited this season in Melrose Y. M. C. A. by the score of 15 to 14.

Winchester 2nd team received its first defeat of the season by the Melrose Y. M. C. A. Intermediates. Melrose gained a lead of 11 to 5 at the end of the first half which the Winchester team could not overcome.

STYGLES—HAGGERTY.

Miss Margaret Ellen Haggerty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haggerty of 6 Baldwin street, was married Sunday evening to Mr. George Francis Stygles, son of George F. Stygles of Woburn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Daniel Keleher of St. Mary's Church, this town, at the parochial residence.

The best man was John Stygles, brother of the groom, of Woburn, and the bridesmaid was Celia L. Haggerty, sister of the bride.

The bride's dress was of cream messaline with val lace trimmings with a yoke of allover embroidery. She carried bride's roses. The bridesmaid was attired in light blue silk with trimmings of lace. After the ceremony, there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents. Only the immediate relatives of both families were present.

The couple will reside in Lexington where the groom is employed as a machinist.

WINCHESTER WON FOUR.

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Higgins	81	84	78	243
Haggerty	78	101	73	252
Hamilton	73	83	81	237
Donovan	80	72	95	247
Totals	390	430	404	1234
EXCLUSIVE V.				
Callahan	78	80	70	226
Pollard	72	72	84	228
Manning	69	79	67	215
Crilley	74	78	61	213
Flaherty	72	75	88	235
Totals	363	384	370	1117

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Soul."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. The Pastor will preach. Subject, "A positive religion."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. B. S. Briggs. Patriotic exercises.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. Leader, Miss Dorothy Wellington. Dr. Robert C. Metcalf will speak.

Tuesday, 4.00 p. m. Bible Reading, the last of the series. Mr. Lawrance will read the closing chapters of the Book of Isaiah.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Sexagesima Sunday.

10.30 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor. Theme, "The Proper Attitude of a Christian in Time of Revival."

12.15 p. m. Bible School, with meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.15 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society.

6.15 p. m. Gospel Service, with brief address by the Pastor. Special music provided by a quartette from the Second Baptist Church Cross street.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week Prayer and conference meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Nutting Friday afternoon, the 19th.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "Praying a Man out of Prison." The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Topic: "The Apostles Imprisoned."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Union meeting in Congregational Church.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting in the vestry.

On Sunday night and during the week our church will join in the Evangelistic Services at the Congregational Church. Let all our people attend these meetings and share in the grand work.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister, Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the Pastor. Theme—"Act Now." Anthems—"Lord I have loved the habitation of Thy House," Torrance; "O taste and see how gracious the Lord is," Sullivan.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Apostles Imprisoned." Acts 5: 17-42.

6 p. m. Union meeting of the young people's societies of the Baptist, Methodist and Congregational churches in the vestry. Topic—"What is my part in The King's Business." Leader, Rev. Arthur L. Winn. Bring the Alexander song books.

7.00 p. m. Union Evangelistic Service. Prof. S. L. Beiler will preach. All are welcome. Come. See notice of evangelistic services for the week in another column. All other evening meetings are set aside for them.

Wednesday, 3.45 p. m. Regular meeting of the Seek and Save Circle at the vestry. Lesson three. All come.

The Minister's Class will be omitted this week on account of the meeting of the Seek and Save Circle. Learn lesson five—God the Father—for next time.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Albert Edmund Brown, Soloist. "Lord God of Abraham," from the "Elijah," Mendelssohn; "If any man thirst," Geo. Henry Howard. Sermon—"Jesus the Same Today." Seats free. Welcome to all.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"The Apostles Imprisoned."

12 m. Business Men's Conference. Third address by Miss Small on "Women in Industry." These addresses are bristling with facts and fervor, and interest is steadily increasing.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Meeting. Union meeting in 1st Cong'l Church.

7.00 p. m. Evangelistic Meetings, in Congregational Church, and every night next week, as advertised.

Sunday, 7. Dr. S. L. Beiler, Boston.
Monday, 7.45. Rev. N. R. Wood.
Tuesday, 7.45. Rev. J. W. Campbell.
Wednesday, 7.45. Rev. H. H. French.
Thursday, 7.45. Dr. Arthur J. Smith, and Dr. Smith will continue through Feb. 28.

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Bell Stations Outnumber Independents' Nearly Two To One.

To the national government, working through the department of commerce and labor, belongs the credit for having finally determined the official facts in the long disputed question as to the relative size of the Bell and independent telephone interests of the United States.

The government figures for 1907 show 3,132,063 Bell stations and 2,986,515 independent stations or telephones. The independents have claimed all along over 4,000,000 stations, or fully 33 per cent more than they actually have.

The government figures do not make any attempt to classify the independents as between "independent" and "opposition" companies. As a matter of fact of the so-called "independents" fully 900,000, or 30 per cent of the entire number form through sub-licensee or service arrangements part of the comprehensive Bell system, but in all other respects are independent, self-controlling organizations. At present over 1,100,000 independents or about 40 per cent of the total are thus affiliated with Bell lines.

With this very important adjustment made, an adjustment which the government statisticians obviously could not make, it will be found that instead of the Bell companies having but 145,000 more stations than the independents, the real figures are something like 4,000,000 for the Bell, against 2,150,000 for the independents, a ratio of nearly 2 to 1. The preponderance of Bell over independent stations may be better illustrated by the following comparison:

	1907	1902
Bell system	4,000,000	1,350,000
Independents	2,150,000	1,000,000
Bell excess	1,850,000	350,000
	Increase	per cent inc.
Bell system	2,650,000	196
Independents	1,150,000	115
Bell excess	1,500,000	...

In considering these figures it should be borne in mind that the station statistics of the Bell and connecting systems are all a matter of record at a central point, due to the fact that the instruments used by the Bell system are furnished by the American Telephone Co. Statistics kept by the Bell companies are as precise as figures of railroad earnings. Instruments used by the Bell companies are all given out from one source and are identical in type of construction. Therefore, the statistics of Bell telephone stations are as reliable as balance sheets or any other financial records.

The relative public and utility of the Bell and independent telephone interests is not measured by number of stations so much as by the fact that the Bell lines are one comprehensive and inter-communicating system operated under one general policy and connected with toll and long-distance lines aggregating nearly 2,000,000 miles in length. The independents on the other hand are scattered companies and for the most part small associations or cooperative groups having with a few conspicuous exceptions no relation with each other and only limited connection by local toll lines. The instruments and apparatus come from 30 or 40 different manufacturers. There is no uniform accounting system and there is no temptation to make the figures any smaller than they actually are. Furthermore, some independents report telephones (a single instrument) while others conform to the Bell custom and report stations (two instruments.) To this extent the independent figures are unduly swelled, but there is no way of knowing how material this factor is.

The significant feature of the rapid telephone development of the United States during the last five years has been this quiet, steady affiliation with the American Telephone system of 900,000 independent stations. As a result, thousands of subscribers in the West have today what they have never before enjoyed,—the advantage of connection with the only national telephone service in the country.

Boston News Bureau.

BOUNDED BY HOSPITALS.

Lexington, at a town meeting Monday night chose a committee of fifteen citizens to appear before the state board on insanity to protest against the proposed establishment in the town of a state branch insane hospital. If the precedent established by the board on consumptive hospitals, on the protest of the committee from North Reading, is followed, the Lexington committee will get a clean cut, decisive, turndown from which the only appeal will be the legislature. With the Danvers hospital to the east, North Reading sanitorium to the north and Tewksbury to the northeast, it is fervently hoped that the proposed new insane asylum will not get any nearer to Reading, at least, than Lexington.—Reading Chronicle.

The Edison Electric Illuminating Co., in absorbing the electric light plants in Newton, Chelsea, Waltham, Watertown and other places, announces a reduction of 25 per cent in the cost of electric lightning in the places mentioned. This may be of interest to localities where there are municipal lighting plants.

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W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The ranks of the Total Abstinence Association are being filled by new recruits showing the trend of popular opinion. Hon. John D. Long the president, is serenely optimistic of the outcome of the long campaign against the use of intoxicants. If the cause progresses as rapidly during the next half century as it has during the one just passed it will soon be a reform accomplished instead of one desired.

The Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance Union is planning for a large fair in April in order to raise funds to carry on the work. For a number of years no fair has been held, the expenses having been met by special gifts, but it is thought the social value of the meetings together for united works makes an occasional bazaar worth while. It also gives an opportunity for many to contribute who can give but little money.

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MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 15th, at 8 o'clock.

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GEORGE H. LOCHMAN,
Clerk of Board of Selectmen.

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Citizens' Caucus!

For the Nomination of Town Officers.

A caucus of the qualified voters of the Town of Winchester will be held in the

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THURSDAY, February 18, 1909.

At 7.30 o'clock p. m.

To nominate candidates for Town Offices for the ensuing year.

I hereby notify all registered voters who desire to be candidates for town offices to send in their names to me in writing by 9 o'clock a.m., February 17, 1909.

All names so received will be placed upon one ballot which will be the only form of ballot used at this caucus.

This caucus will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Laws and amendments thereof, and will be called to order by the Town Clerk, who will preside until a chairman is chosen.

GEORGE H. CARTER,
Voter of the Town of Winchester.

Winchester, Feb. 1, 1909.

Nomination and Certificate Blanks furnished by the Town Clerk.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

MEN AND WOMEN.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of Registering New Voters as follows:

At the Town Hall on Tuesday Evening, February 16, 1909, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Also at the Town Hall Building, Pleasant Street, Saturday Afternoon and Evening, February 20, 1909, from 12 o'clock noon, until 10 o'clock in the evening, which will be the last day of Registration.

See that your name is on the Voting List of your Town; if not there, call at the office of the Board of Registrars on the days above mentioned and be registered or you cannot vote. Bring with you a certificate from the Assessors or a tax bill or notice from the Collector of Taxes showing that you have been assessed a poll tax.

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Registrars of Voters of Winchester, Mass.

February 3, 1909.

MISMANAGED MACHINERY.

Mobile Finds Its Valuable Water Plant Neglected and Abused Through Ignorance and Incompetence.

Engineer Rhind's report on the city waterworks pumping station, which was laid before the council by the mayor last night, will astonish even those who thought themselves acquainted with the condition of the machinery.

The report states nothing but the facts as found, with legitimate deductions, and does not attempt to locate the responsibility for the neglected state of the station. It shows, however, that the neglect is serious and that it is general; also that it is costly not only in the deterioration of valuable machinery, but in operation, since there are lost motion, failure to produce adequate results and consequent waste of fuel. Some of the things done to the machinery by the official in charge are pronounced absurd and others beyond the expert's comprehension. Immediate repairs are recommended.

The representative of H. R. Worthington, the maker of the pumps, is not so conservative in his criticisms. The condition, he says in a letter to the mayor, is worse than he expected. He goes over the report, and so great is his surprise that he finds some of its statements almost incredible. Here is one:

"In order to start one engine, high duty, it was necessary to rob the other engine of a number of nuts! In other words, simply for the need perhaps of a dozen three-quarter inch nuts this pumping station was in such shape that only one high duty engine could be run high duty at a time!"

Another:

"Twenty to 30 per cent of all the water which these pumps are supposed to have been pumping has either been going back through the suction valves of the pump under operation or back through the check valve and water end of the pump which was idle into the suction sluiceway."

About two tons of coal a day have been wasted in this manner, doing the city of Mobile "no more good than if it were hauled to the river and dumped into it." Mr. Lockett estimates the waste at $2,000 a year. He declares that—

"It would appear, therefore, that the engineer of your pumping station has cost you as much money as the investment in an additional pump."

Mr. Lockett says further that Mr. Rhind says that in his whole experience he "has never seen a plant the condition of which was so absolutely rotten as this one" and that this but substantiates what he (Mr. Lockett) has told the mayor repeatedly. "Whoever is responsible for this condition of the plant," adds Mr. Lockett, "is neither more nor less than a butcher of machinery, and as the representative of Henry Worthington I resent this treatment to which our engines have been subjected as a gross injustice to our company."

The mayor intervened, it will be remembered, and suspended the engineer he thought responsible, thus showing an intention at least to stop the abuse of the machinery and to get a better service, but the council put the engineer back after a form of inquiry into his conduct.

Mr. Lockett advises that a conscientious and competent man be placed in charge of the station. This is what the mayor ought to do. We think the people would back him in an effort of that sort to protect the property of the city.—Mobile (Ala.) Register.

A MISMANAGED VILLAGE.

An Overwhelming Array of Illegalities In This Municipal Muddle.

An investigation of the finances of Watkins, N. Y., reveals, according to a statement issued from the office of the state comptroller—

"Carelessness and negligence frequently of a gross character in the conduct of public affairs in that village. This condition was found particularly in the management of the municipal lighting and water supply systems by the board of water and sewer commissioners."

The report goes on to state that the meetings of the board have been secret; that they have done many things contrary to law; that for years no books of account were kept and that latterly the books have been kept in pencil; that many thousands of dollars have been paid out without vouchers and on bills that were not audited; that the treasurer's bond cannot be found; that he kept in his own hands for long periods sums amounting at times to $30,000.

These sums include the sinking funds, which were not invested according to law. The interest on them was illegally applied to operating expenses, and even the principal was at times drawn upon for the same purpose. As a result the funds will not be adequate to redeem the bonds when they fall due. Of course the chief reason for this abuse of the sinking fund was to enable the municipal plants to make a good showing and to prevent excessive tax levies for their support, which would have opened the eyes of the taxpayers.

Nonusers Make Up Deficit.

Consul General Wynne reports that for the last fiscal year the loss on the British state telegraph and telephone service was $4,145,054. This was exclusive of the interest on the investment, the addition of which would bring the amount up to about $6,000,000. This big sum is largely paid by the taxes of wage earners who never use the telegraph or the long distance telephone, which is responsible for the deficit, the local telephones being operated by companies in most cases.

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SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday.) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Wallrig, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
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Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
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Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Means, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
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Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
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The cast will, as usual, be headed by Mr. Craig as Dick Capel, by Miss Young as Lucille, by Miss Binley as La Favorita, and by Kenneth Hill, George Hassell, Theodore Friebus, William Evarts, Donald Meek, Kate Ryan, Minnette Cleveland and Catherine Tallman in the other leading roles.

At the close of the run of "The Circus Girl," on Monday, February 22nd, the John Craig Stock Company will appear in a production of "The Evangelist," Henry Arthur Jones's drama of modern life which has never before been played in Boston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abbie M. Crowe, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to Daniel M Daley, of Arlington in the County of Middlesex without requiring a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of March, A. D., 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f12 12,19,26

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Timothy C. Murphy, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John Lynch, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a new-paper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f12,19,26

Mortgagee's Sale

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Hurd to Harlow H. Rogers, and Foster Rogers (and now owned as follows: viz., 2/3 by Foster Rogers, and 1/3 by Harlow H. Rogers, Trustee under Declaration of Trust recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 3403, Page 206, dated September 2, 1907, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3315, Page 493, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises on

MONDAY, the first day of March, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, viz.

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts on Irving street, and known as number forty-six (46) Irving Street, and being lot numbered ninety-six (96); and 1/2 (one half of lot ninety-two (92) as shown on a plan of lots drawn by G. F. Hartshorn, dated May 25, 1891, and recorded with said Deeds in book of plans seventy (70), plan forty-eight (48). Subject to any and all tax liens and public assessments if any there be.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

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WHEREAS, John H. Roy of Newburgh in the State of New York, executor of the will of Mira E. Pierce, late of Winchester in said County of Middlesex, deceased, has presented to said Court his petition, praying for instructions as to whether certain memoranda annexed to said petition are to be regarded as a part of the will of said deceased, or are to be entirely disregarded by him, and for such other or further decree or order in the premises as may seem meet.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found or by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days, at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR a newspaper published in Winchester the last publication to be seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Anne D. B. Underwood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty fifth day of February, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a new-spaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f5,12,19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Isaac J. Doane, late of Winchester in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and two codicils—of said deceased have been presented to said Court for Probate, by Frank L. Washburn who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him without giving a surety on his official bond, or to some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f5,12,19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Frank H. Bowles, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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January 28th, 1909
f5,12,19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jane Lenfest, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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GRANVILLE B. LENFEST, Adm.
Main Street
Winchester, January 22nd, 1909.
j29,f5,12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Handel Pond, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.

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North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
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North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

We notice among the committees appointed for 1909 at the Boston Fruit and Produce Exchange the names of Mr. Edwin Robinson, who is chairman of the fruit committee, and Mr. Charle H. Farnsworth on the trade committee Mr. Robinson has also been appointeds a member of the special committee on Memorial.

Mr. J. Frank Tuttle, who has been located at Camden, N. J., with Warren Webster & Co., has been transferred to Chicago, Ill. where he will have charge of the engineering department of the firm's western office.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Goodridge have given up their residence on Eaton street and moved to Chelsea.

Mr. B. F. Mathews, the hair-dresser, goes twice a month (generally the second and fourth Monday) to the Middlesex School at Concord, Mass., where he [illegible] the latest style. [illegible] returned home from [illegible] Tuesday night.

Mr. Earnest W. Hatch was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis last Friday and taken to a hospital at Cambridge, where he was operated upon successfully. Mr. Hatch went to work Friday when he was taken ill. He came home and a doctor was summoned, who in the afternoon pronounced the cause of sickness appendicitis.

Mr. W. Wallace Waugh of Norwood Street is syndicating a $200,000 hotel, to be situated on Dorchester Heights, South Boston.

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Negotiations are underway by a Boston machinist firm, for purchase of a lot of land on Main street, Winchester near the ice bridge, on which to build a small machine shop.

The Knights of Columbus will present the well known drama, "Erin-go-Bragh" in the Town Hall on the evening of March 17. Frequent rehearsals are being held and a fine performance is assured.

Roy L. Hilton son of Irvin Hilton of Stratford Road is ill at a private hospital in Andover.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The STAR should be in the hands of every family in town, as it contains a weekly summary of events that are of special interest to the people. New comers to town by receiving a visit of the STAR will find it an advantage as they will become better acquainted with existing conditions and come in close touch with the people that can be done in no other way. It costs but $2.00 per year left at your residence every Friday. Send in your name.

The Edison Company has purchased the electric plants of the Waltham, Newton & Watertown, Chelsea and Boston Consolidated Gas Companies. The transaction involves, it is said, rising $2,000,000.

Mr. William J. Dunton, a Winchester boy, has become the successor of the well known florist, Marston B. Bunker of 8 City Hall avenue, Boston. The many Winchester friends of this young man will be pleased to learn of his rise in business life, and they can be assured of fair and generous treatment at the hands of Mr. Dunton in anything pertaining to flowers and plants.

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The heavy downfall of rain on Wednesday flooded many cellars about town. On Wednesday night it was necessary for the police to rope off a section of Oak street, it being two feet under water.

Mr. C. A. Baldwin left Saturday for the West. He will make a stop in Chicago and then go to California where he will spend the next three months. He expects to spend the greater part of the time at Los Angeles.

The benefit concert and ball by the Winchester Fire Department is to be held in the Town Hall next Tuesday evening. The concert is to be one of the best given in town for some time, and will be followed by dancing, with music by Martin's Orchestra. The citizens of the town should give their support to this affair.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Western Missionary Society was held last Thursday in the vestry of the First Congregational Church. Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon acting state president of the W. C. T. U., was a guest, and after the business meeting spoke very touchingly of what it meant to serve, with strength, with enthusiasm, with rejoicing, and finally victory and eternity. She mentioned the work her sister Alice Gordon Gulick accomplished in Madrid, Spain, for the Spanish girls, and how they all loved her, and when she died honored her by erecting a beautiful monument to her memory. The Spanish girl today loves the American girl for the work of this noble woman, Alice Gordon Gulick. Ten of the members of the W. C. T. U. were present. Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon is a member of the Congregational Church at Auburndale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gerlach, Mrs. H. Mackay and Miss Gladys Blaikie attended the annual party and prize drill at Mitchell's Military School, Billerica, last Saturday evening.

Mr. Francis Hall, son of Alfred S. Hall, Esq., of Summit avenue, returned to Winchester on Monday for a stay of two weeks from Alpine, Texas, where he has a cattle ranch.

Mrs. May White Tedford can be engaged for readings by clubs, lodges, private socials, churches and etc., 6 Herrick street; Tel. 129-3. f5-4t*

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Wednesday was certainly the worst day of the winter thus far. A heavy snow storm during the night, turning into rain at daybreak, and an unusually heavy wind and rain during the day, all combined to make home a most desirable place. During the forenoon the streets and sidewalks were covered with slush and water to the depth of several inches. The town street department did good work all over town, and paths were plowed everywhere by 7 a. m.

Mr. Ralph Joslin while leaving his house Thursday morning, slipped on the ice, breaking his left arm, between the elbow and shoulder.

The "Oceana" sailed from New York, Jan 24 for the West Indies, having on board Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Foster, who report having had a delightful trip. They arrived at Grenada, Feb. 9th.

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Aberjona Council, No. 1002, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "smoker" and entertainment in Harmony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 8 o'clock. Good time. Public cordially invited.

Representative S. W. McCall of this District has been invited by the War Department to nominate a candidate for appointment to the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, to fill a vacancy which occurs in January, 1910. It is necessary that this appointment be made by the end of March, and, in order to select a candidate, a competitive examination will be held about the 20th of March, 1909. Under the law only bona fide residents of the 8th Congressional District, who are between 17 and 22 years of age, are eligible for this appointment. Full information in regard to the date and place of the examination may be had upon application to Hon. S. W. McCall, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

The new Lincoln postage stamp went on sale this morning.

Wentworth Perry, son of Mr. Fred Perry, is ill with scarlet fever.

Rev. William I. Lawrance gave an address on Sunday evening at the Second Church, Copley square, Boston.

Mrs. O. C. Sanborn and Mrs. Wendell M. Weston were among the patronesses for the Festival of Months, given this week in aid of the Morgan Memorial.

Mr. Ralph Pratt Hoagland sailed last Saturday from New York for the Mediterranean. He expects to be absent about three months.

Mrs. Charles Shattuck is quite ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Henry Harris of Illinois, was the speaker at the Mission Union on Wednesday afternoon at the vestry of the First Congregational Church.

The youngest child of Mr. Frank E. Rowe of Bacon street is ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. John McLeod, formerly of this town was visiting friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace N. Proctor has sent out cards for a reception at her home on Calumet Road to meet her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Chapin.

Mrs. Henry A. Goddard will be at home on February 17, from 3 till 6, Mrs. Stanley Miller will be the guest of honor.

A son was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Merrick Parker of Bangor, Me. Mr. Parker was formerly of this town.

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George Merrill Magee, a well known architect who died Sunday at Wenham, was formerly a resident of this town.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Judge Charles J. McIntire of the Probate court of Middlesex county, at East Cambridge, has allowed the petition of E. Arthur Tutein to be appointed guardian of his children, Dexter A. Tutein, Chester R. Tutein, E. Arthur Tutein, Richard Tutein and Phillis Tutein.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Vayo are the parents of a daughter, born Monday.

The latest attraction in the centre has been the bonfire at the crossing. Its purpose has been to thaw out frozen ground in connection with repairs made to the railroad gates.

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The parish of the First Congregational Church voted last week to build an extension in the rear of the church edifice to provide for a new kitchen, class room and lavatories, with a new steam heating equipment.

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THE KING'S BUSINESS.

The Congregational church "on the hill" seemed more like a temple on Wednesday evening than ever. While its stately columns with its miriad of gas jets was attractive, yet the call for the meeting held there and the King's Business to be arranged seemed to give all an unusual significance. As the readers of the STAR know the evangelical churches of Winchester have joined forces and a well organized God inspired revival is expected among the people. A committee organization has been completed, and will be in close touch with the Chapman Alexander greater Boston campaign committee. Last night's meeting, as will be tonight's and all next week's, was arranged to get the church people together to prepare for the coming of the evangelist, Dr. Smith, who has been working so successfully in Melrose. The most of the service last night was taken up by an address by Rev. Thomas Sims of Melrose. His story of the great revival in Melrose was most timely and must have inspired all who heard it and strengthened their hope for the success of the movement in Winchester. He brought good news.

The singing, as led by Mr. Harry Sanborn, was excellent. The attendance was remarkably large for the first meeting. After the meeting in the Church, Mr. Simms gave a further talk to the combined commitees outlining plans for work.

The Committee organization is as follows:

General Committee—Rev. D. A. Newton, chairman.

Executive Committee—Frederic S. Osgood, chairman; Treasurer, Arthur W. Hale; Secretary, Harry C. Sanborn; Auditor, John K. Murdock; Rev. John R. Chaffee, Rev. Henry E. Hodge, Robert M. Armstrong, John K. Murdock, Arthur P. Briggs, D. C. Linscott, Jr., Dr. Clarence J. Allen.

Finance Committee—A. W. Hale, chairman; Newton Shultis, Harrison Parker, G. C. Ogden, R. M. Armstrong, John S. Blank, John Park.

Entertainment Committee—Rev. John R. Chaffee chairman; Robert Coit, Rev. H. E. Hodge, Rev. D. A. Newton.

Music Committee—H. C. Sanborn, chairman; F. V. Wooster, Rev. J. R. Chaffee, A. E. Brown, Wm. Adriance, N. H. Seeley, C. H. Dunning, C. S. McGown.

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Invitations—Dr. C. J. Allen, Chrm.; Thomas Bulmer, N. M. Nichols, J. A. Hersey, G. A. Weld, Warren Foster, Herbert Curry.

Publicity Committee — Henry C. Robinson, Chrm.; Charles N. Harris, C. L. Dunning, Eben Caldwell, E. C. Sanderson, Arthur W. Hale, D. C. Linscott, George C. Coit, C. E. Everett, L. E. Crouch.

The STAR will have complete reports of these forthcoming meetings furnished by special correspondents. It would be well for all who wish to keep in touch with this revival movement, or who wish to keep their friends posted who are living at other places, to make it a point to subscribe for the STAR now.

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BOSTON ELEVATED DEFENDANT IN $15,000 SUIT.

A hearing is being held before Judge Hitchcock in the Meddlesex superior court, at East Cambridge, on four suits against the Boston Elevated Railway Co., the ad damna aggregating $40,000.

The plaintiffs are: Charles E. Henneway of Winchester, who sue for 10,000; Wendel Stoklan of Woburn, who seeks to recover $15,000; his wife Jennie Stoklan, who asks for $1,000, and her daughter Sarah Stoklan, who sues through her parents for $5,000.

All the suits are the result of the same accident and are being tried together.

The plaintiffs claim that on April 10, 1905, they were severely injured as a result of a collision between a car of the defendent company and a large wagon.

Mr. Hemenway, in his declaration said that he was driving a wagon when a car of the company ran into him, knocking him off and severely injuring him.

The three members of the Stoklan family claim that they were passengers on the car of the company, and that as a result of the accident they were severely shaken up and bruised. All of the plaintiffs allege negligence upon the part of the agents of the defendent company. They ask for damages not alone for personal injures, but because of the great expense they allege they were put to for medical treatment.

It is understood that Dr. Harold A. Gale has purchased the Stanton house on Main street, and that Dr. William H. Gilpatric has purchased the recently erected house adjoining it, now occupied by Mr. Brigham.

Hon S. J. Elder delivered an interesting address before a large audience at the Mystic Side Congregational Church Sunday morning on "The Ever-Powerful Influence of Lincoln.

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NO. 5671. REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the MIDDLESEX COUNTY NATIONAL BANK OF WINCHESTER, at Winchester, in the State of Massachusetts, at the close of business, February 5, 1909:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$180,574 30
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1 27
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		47,269 45
Due from approved reserve agents		47,940 44
Notes of other National Banks		215 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		132 26
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	13,927 45	
Legal tender notes	600 00	
		14,527 45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$344,160 17

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$50,000 00
Surplus fund		10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		17,529 13
National Bank notes outstanding		49,900 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	$18,832 47	
Dividends unpaid	25 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	199,953 57	
Demand certificates of deposit	5,410 00	
Certified checks	2,300 00	217,521 04
Total		$344,160 17

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County of Middlesex, ss.

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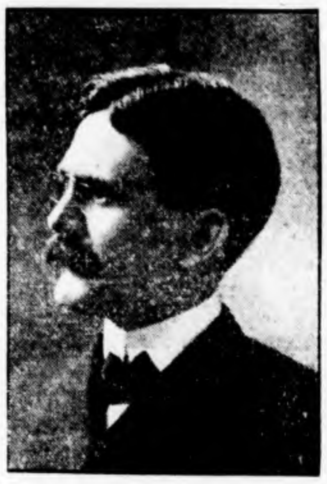

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THE KING'S BUSINESS.

Rev. A. J. Smith Speaks to a Large Audience.

The opening meeting in the series of Chapman Alexander evangelistic services was held in the First Congregational church last evening, when Rev. Arthur J. Smith D. D. changed his field of effort from Melrose to Winchester. The wonderful success he had achieved at Melrose had put zeal and expectancy into the workers at Winchester. The feeling that similar results would be the case here, for more than a week has characterized the splendid preparations, which last night reached their perfection. The organizers of the Winchester group have met Dr. Smith and Mr. Fenno, the director of the music several times, and the fullest preparations possible had made ready for this series of great meetings.

Mr. Harry C. Sanborn has gathered and trained a union chorus of the four churches participating, so that Mr. Fenno met at the opening service last night a large band of singers whom he will direct from night to night, singing the Alexander songs, now so popular in Greater Boston.

The large electric sign over the door of the Congregational church, in which the meetings are held, and on the top of one of the blocks at the square have attracted attention to the meetings. The publicity committee have posted all over the town the King's business have and mailed to many homes neat invitations to the meetings. The same organization that is such a feature of the Chapman campaigns has been put into this later enterprise and carried out with great effectiveness. In this way Dr. Smith and Fenno were able simply to transfer their work to a scene of great promise.

The church was filled to its capacity with a representative audience of over 600 people, who listened with close attention to the earnest words that were spoken by Dr. Smith, and joined heartly in the singing.

The meeting opened with a song service under the direction of Mr. Allen B. Fenno, and after a few introductory remarks by Rev. D. Augustine Newton, who spoke of the great work that has been going on in Boston and its suburbs, the influence of which has been wide spread, awakening others to the business.

He then introduced Rev. Arthur J. Smith, D. D., who taking his text from First Corinthians 15th chapter and 34th verse, said:

The passage of scripture occurse in the great resurrection chapter of the Bible calledthe impregnable rock of Holy Scripture. The phrase seems to have no connection with the context. It does not seem to be associated with anything that precedes it or follows it. It would seem that underlying the exhortation that the apostle gives to these believers there is great longing and great desire in his heart. He cannot help thinking of these men and women without a hope in Christ. Even while he is speaking to the believers about the resurrection of the Lord. This is what he says.

"Awake to righteousness and sin not, for some have not the knowledge of God. I speak this to your shame."

There are three things suggested by this passage of Scripture. God has made a revelation of himself to man. There are some in the world who have not received this revelation of God. It is a shame and a sin for those who have received this revelation to withhold it from those who have not received it. God has revealed himself to man in nature. We cannot look into the skies above us at night or in the morning when the stars are shining but what we may have a vision of the handiwork of God. We cannot look about us in the springtime when the trees are budding and the flowers are blooming without being conscious that there is a God. God reveals himself to man through the scripture. The revelation that it makes in the Scripture is a progressive revelation: beginning with our first parents in the Garden of Eden and going down until the time of Noah. We see pro-

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THE FACTS.

In order that the matter may be placed in a proper light, the STAR has made inquiry of a representative of the School Department and find the facts to be as follows:

The financial statement made to the State Board of Education for the fiscal year March 1907—February 1908 was as follows:

Wages of teachers	$35205 77
Transportation of School Children	513 00
Fuel, and the care of fires, schoolrooms and school premises	7556 35
Total expense of supervision by the school committee, clerk, agent or other employees in the work of supervision, truant officer, and superintendent	2940 00
Expense of books stationery and school supplies for pupils' use	2803 70
School sundries or incidentals (annual school reports, school census and such items as cannot be classified elsewhere)	2207 79
Ordinary repairs of school houses	2936 98
Total	$54163 59

It will be observed (1) that the state report does not provide for reporting expenditures for furniture, graduation expenses, lighting, postage, printing, telephones, truant school charges, medical inspection, incidentals, census taking, and incidentals proper except under sundries, (2) that these items were not kept separate in the books of the School Committee and (3) that incidentals are debited with $2207.79 in the figures of the State Board. The figures in the report to the state Board should have been $200 larger for fuel etc., namely, $7756.35 instead of $7556.35 and $200 smaller for sundries, namely $2007.79. The error was due to the fact that the salary paid to Mr. N. M. Nichols as custodian of school buildings originally included an allowance of $300 for census, distributions of supplies and truancy work. In making up the report to the State Board of Education $300 was taken from the sum given as expended for fuel etc. and added to the amount given as expended for sundries because this portion of Mr. Nichols duties seemed to belong there rather than under fuel, the fact that $200 had previously been charged to truant officers being overlooked. So far as the gross total is concerned it makes no difference, but the two items mentioned are one $200 too large and the other $200 too small. Thus we have $2007.79 as credited to sundries, but really covering expenditures of approximately the following amounts for the various items included:

Furniture	$500
Graduation exercises, orchestra, diplomas, etc.	200
Lighting	100
Postage	75
Printing	100
Telephones	75
Pupils in truant school	75
Census	100
Incidentals proper	800

At the beginning of this year the subdivisions of the financial reports presented at the monthly meetings of the School Committee were increased so as definitely to indicate the total expenditures for each month and for the year under as many specific heads as might be desired as a matter of reference.

For the fiscal year March 1908 to Febmay 1909, incidentals proper will amount to about $350.

The present form of report with its larger number of subdivisions seems more satisfactory, but to assume that the citizens of Winchester will believe that the School Committee of this town, of which Mr. Charles F. A. Currier was at the time Chairman, either expended money carelessly or without proper warrant, is to fail to understand that their fellow citizens have confidence in the business integrity and acumen of these gentlemen.

Any idea that money expended for incidentals could have been devoted to teachers salaries will be seen to be erroneous when the different items are noted. Furthermore, these interested ought to know that salaries in Winchester schools were steadily increased during Mr. Currier's term as chairman until they compared favorably with towns and cities paying the largest salaries. During the past two years there has been an advance in salaries in Medford, Newton, Somerville, etc., so that we are now somewhat lower than these places. On the other hand we are paying more than a good many towns and cities. If the plan followed for years of increasing salaries each year is continued, most of our teachers will soon be paid our maximum grade salary, namely $650, and without doubt this maximum will be increased.

The phrase "plunder or blunder" is simply an example of careless thinking and heedless expression. Along with some other recent contributors to the STAR the persons who seem anxious about these "sundries" have made absolutely no inquiries of any of the school authorities as to the facts. As a means of arriving at the truth in any matter this method is hardly likely to be successful and on more serious grounds it is certainly open to adverse criticism.

For example if the gentleman who thoughtfully circulated among the voters of the town his table of expenditures of school sundries had been animated by a sincere interest in the welfare of the schools he might have added the following places, and a great many others, to his list.

Town or City	Average membership	School sundries
Fairhaven	862	$3765 87
Danvers	1492	2630 15
Rockport	822	3356 50
Ludlow	644	2004 40
Concord	998	2175 25
Reading	1125	3705 46
Hyde Park	1833	6002 74
Athol	1196	3084 95

MATINEE AT 2.30 P. M.

"Isle of Bamboo."

Saturday, Feb. 20, Town Hall, the committee of the Calumet Club show have decided that inasmuch as so many children who desire to attend this show could not do so in the evening, that a matinee must be given for them. Tickets are low in price and plenty of good front seats—they ought not to miss it, for it will be long remembered by them, affording no end of laughter and funny scenes as well as the shipwreck and the landing of our people among the cannibals. Tickets at Abare's and Knight's and at the door.

A Memorial Mass will be sung at St. Mary's Church, Monday morning, Feb. 22nd, for the deceased members of Winchester Council 210, Knights of Columbus.

ANNUAL BALL.

Winchester Fire Department Holds One of the Most Successful Affairs in Its History.

The annual Concert and Ball of the Winchester Fire Department was held in the Town Hall Tuesday evening and was one of the most successful events in the history of the department. The invited guests included Chief Frank Tracy of Woburn and Assistant Chief T. Donahue of Arlington. The entertainment consisted of moving pictures and illustrated songs.

Dancing was under the direction of floor marshal, Chief I. L. Symmes; Assistant Floor Marshal, Assistant Chief D. H. DeCourcey; Floor Director, Capt. R. J. McGuinity; Assistant Floor Director, Capt. G. F. Osborne; Chief of aids, Capt. William Sweeney, and the following aids: Lieut. John McCarron, M. C. Ambrose, J. L. Duffy, A. R. Libby, J. H. Kelley, Edward Fitzgerald, John Dennehy, Owen Flaherty, M. J. Maguire, Driver F. Duffy, Lieut. R. Anderson, E. Pody, J. McCall, Thomas Kean, O. McElhany, H. Dolliver, William Hurlburt, H. J. Lyons, Driver J. Flaherty, Electrician J. H. McCarthy, Lieut. Thomas Nolan, F. Beaton, M. J. Quigley, E. Flaherty, J. Haley, J. Hanlon, F. Foley, A. Donlon, Edward Callahan, Driver M. H. Nagle, Driver John J. Gorman.

W. H. S. NOTES.

Last Friday morning Lincoln Day was observed in the Assembly Hall of the High School by singing some patriotic songs and Mr. Newton spoke about Abraham Lincoln's life. Many parents and friends were present, also the Winchester members of the G. A. R. were there as guests of Mr. [illegible] and the School Committee.

At a meeting of the class of 1910 on last Monday morning, Kenneth Grant was elected captain of the [illegible] team. The class games will take [illegible] next week if the ice is good.

Washington's Birthday the High School basket ball team will play another game with the Alumni. The school team was victorious in the first game, winning by the score 33-32. The game is scheduled for eight o'clock in the evening, and if you want your money's worth come and see it.

HISTORY OF WINCHESTER.

C. FRANCES DOHERTY.

The following is the fourth of the series of four compositions written by High school scholars in competition for the prize offered by The Fortnightly.

Before making the acquaintance of Winchester's prominent men and women of by-gone days, and her historical spots, let us glance at the stages of growth she has passed through, and the names by which she has been known.

Two centuries and a half ago the territory now embraced in Winchester was a wild unsettled part of Charlestown, called Waterfield. It was a part of the original territory granted to Charlestown by the General Court in 1633. As the wild lands of Waterfield included principally the territory along the banks of our Aberjona river from Mystic pond to the land of John Harvard, and the territory bordering on Horn pond, it was indeed a water-field.

May 13, 1640, the General Court granted Charlestown additional land with their former grants to make a village. It was the intention of Charlestown to allot the newly acquired territory to her own citizens and to establish a village near the site of Waterfield, hence our second name, "Charlestown Village."

In 1640, a committee was chosen by the town to mark off the boundaries of the village. After securing the grant of new land a project developed among the leaders of the Charlestown church to establish a new church and a new town. Hence the church of Charlestown of which Rev. Zachariah Symmes was pastor, chose a committee for erection of a new church and town, where a "village" had been originally designed within the limits of Charlestown.

Thus it was through the church, not the town of Charlestown, that our territory, first Waterfield, then Charlestown Village was finally annexed to Woburn in 1642. The bounds between Charlestown and Woburn were not fixed until 1650, when a joint committee settled the bounds.

In 1850 the village was incorporated as the Town of Winchester, and from that time the growth has been constant. Winchester was incorporated as a town, with a population of 1300 people and a taxable property valued at $800,000. The name of Winchester was decided upon in honor of Col. Wm. P. Winchester, who presented three thousand dollars to the town.

GROWTH OF WINCHESTER.

After the Boston and Lowell railroad was opened through (in) South Woburn, now Winchester, in 1835, a village soon grew up. The inhabitants were mainly farmers, and there were a few mills on the larger streams.

From 1834 to 1850 Winchester, near the crossing of the Boston and Lowell Railroad at Main street, was called the "Woburn Gates," because gates were closed when trains were passing. The original scheme of the railway connecting Boston and Lowell did not contemplate any provision for business at this place, and no depot was built. Passengers had to walk to Walnut Hill and pay $1 fare to Boston. The building first used as a station was a small shoe maker's shop, about 10 by 15. The trains were few and far between, the engines small, and the cars much like the old-fashioned stage-coaches, with doors on the side.

Fifty years ago Winchester was a small village, with a few plain dwellings, ill constructed streets, two small school houses, one meeting house—making the aspect of the town simple and rural.

Its growth has been constant and rapid, favored by its railroad facilities, and its superior, natural, attractions, and at the present time it is one of the best known and influential towns in the state, as a location for fine residences, and the abode of cultured and influential people, many of whom have business interests in Boston and elsewhere, and reside here simply for a home.

When Winchester was incorporated, she had a population of 1300. Now she has reached almost 9,000. At the present time we can wish for nothing more than that Winchester's future may be as prosperous as her past.

INDIAN MASSACRE DURING KING PHILIP'S WAR.

Winchester was the scene on April 10, 1676, during King Philip's War of a triple murder by the Indians. A band of Indians entered the house of Samuel Richardson, while he and his son were at work in the fields, killed and scalped his wife Hannah and his son Thomas. The nurse seized the babe, and hurried toward the garrison house. To save her own life she dropped the babe, whom the Indians killed. The savages were pursued by Mr. Richardson and a party of neighbors, and one was shot near the Highland Reservoir, the rest escaped.

SQUA SACHEM.

The great Sachem of the Pawtuckets was Nanepashemit, or the New Moon. In 1615 he removed from Lynn to the banks of the Mystic river, where he was killed in 1619. After his death his wife reigned as queen and is known in history as "Squa Sachem."

She appears to have compared, not unfavorably with her dusky brothers, for we are told that when a brave with the sounding title of Sachem of Boston submitted to the English, he did so upon condition that they should protect him from Squa Sachem.

Previous to 1635 she had married Webcowit, the physician of the tribe,—"its pow-wow priest, witch," and she continued to be queen while the "Pow wow" ruled as king in right of his wife.

In 1637 Squa Sachem, with Webcowit, deeded a large track of land in Concord to the English. While her brother sachems so often traded their lands for beads and trinkets with which to adorn their manly forms, the Squa required in exchange a suit of cotton cloth, a white hat, a white linen band, shoes, stockings, and a great coat and such other articles as would contribute to the comfort of her people.

In 1656 she gave land to Jotham Jones in acknowledgement of the many kindnesses received from him. The grateful affection of the queen is expressed in the deed in a very impressive manner.

The queen died in Medford before 1662.

TRAINING DAY.

In the early times the training was a great event. Too be a soldier was the longing of every boy—to hold a commission the ambition of every man. In the unsettled state of affairs, the people felt by no means assured of their rights, and an organized militia was kept up.

According to this system, every free, able bodied male citizen was obliged to serve from the age of eighteen to forty five in a military company, and the service was engaged in with pride by all. All the militia were obliged to parade at stated seasons, for drill and inspection.

The military reviews and exercises were made religious by an opening exercise of prayer and psalm singing. Religious services were held also before the company broke up.

The privates were expected to keep a gun and twenty-four ball cartridges always by them in the house, and their accoutrements must be kept in good order. The Winchester people trained on Woburn Common.

On the morning of the Training Day, the private generally arose before day, and having loaded his gun with a heavy charge, reported to the house of his captain and fired it off as near the window of his sleeping commander as it was convenient to get, and having waked him up and taken a drink at his expense, the company was ready to muster.

In those days, rum was deemed a necessity to soldiering and had its office at the beginning, in the middle, and the end of the training.

Many amusing incidents are told of these warriors at militia training. On one occasion one of the trainers called "Uncle Joe," having drank more than his usual number of toasts, furnished much amusement. Some of the men loaded his gun with "spunk" between each charge and surmounted the whole with a live coal. The company being dismissed, Uncle Joe started homeward, his gun properly shouldered, and as he jogged along his gun went off with a loud report. The veteran was somewhat startled but concluded that after loading the first time, he must have forgotten to fire.

As he entered his home he placed his weapon behind the door and sat down to relate to his wife the adventures of the day, including the most singular fact of his gun going off as it did. While he was speaking the gun went off again. The worthy couple were now horrified and threw the unholy thing out into the yard, where it continued going off.

Uncle Joe never could be prevailed upon to touch the gun again, because, if it would go off without being loaded, it might some day take a notion to shoot him.

Two companies were formed called the East and West companies. All persons living east of the main road from Lowell to Boston trained in the East Company, and on the west of the road in the West Company. The captains of the East Company were Jeduthan Richardson, Jonathan Thompson, Joseph Eaton, Bartholemew Richardson, Francis Johnson, John Wardle and Samuel Tidd.

About 1828, a distaste for the militia organization began to creep in, and what was once the pride of the people became a burlesque with them.

NO "POT" FISHERMAN.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I have been much surprised several times this winter to find that fresh fish "right from the Winchester reservoirs" have been openly for sale at our local fish markets. When I came to Winchester a few years ago I obtained a permit to fish in the reservoirs from the water board or its agent and I enjoyed the privilege very much. I could only fish certain days in the week and, very properly no fishing was allowed through the ice as such fishing affords great opportunity for pollution of the water. For the past two years I have been out of town in the summer time and not had a fishing permit and now am much surprised to learn that none is now required and that at present any one can fish without a permit and can catch as many fish as he pleases, through the ice or otherwise. I am very, very sorry at this change for it means the end of gentlemanly fishing in Winchester if the present course is continued. The Massachusetts law does not allow the public sale of wild trout, but Winchester allows the sale of game fish from its own reservoirs in its own public fish markets and allows anybody to catch them in any way and in as large quantities as they please. I am very sorry at the present state of affairs regarding reservoir fishing and I sincerely wish the old order of things could be restored. No true fisherman would want to fish under present conditions in Winchester.

NOT A "POT FISHERMAN."

AN ELECTRIC TANNING PROCESS.

A leather company at Halifax is reported by Vice Consul General Hill to have proven the success of tanning leather by electricity. A regular tannery equipped for this application of the "juice" will be started. The Canadian patent rights have been purchased from the Boston inventor. The old methods required from three to four months, but it is said that by the new process it requires only thirty days and better quality of leather is produced.

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Town reports and town warrants are being distributed this week.

IN TIME OF REVIVAL.

Extract from a sermon preached by the Rev. C. A. S. Dwight at the Second Congregational Church on the morning of February 14, on the topic, "The Proper Attitude of a Christian in a Time of Revival", and from the texts, "Thy people shall be willing in the day of thy power," and "To every man his work."

"Revivals—what, why, how, when? is a question deserving the careful and prayerful attention of every Christian. Church history has always been punctuated here or there by revivals, and probably will continue to be in the future. A 'revival' is an extraordinary outpouring of the Spirit of God in answer to prayer, differing, however from ordinary operations of the Spirit more perhaps in degree than in quality. Evangelistic meetings do not of themselves alone constitute a revival—which yet may be either the outcome or the source of such meetings. When now there is a 'stirring in the tops of the mulberry trees' the true Christian will prepare himself to the battle, seeking to be 'willing in the day of God's power.' None are justified in taking at such times an attitude of opposition, or of captious criticism. Formalists—of whom there are some in every church, and not alone in the so-called sacerdotal sects, do not care for revivals, lest their smug superficiality be disturbed, and rationalists—those who mistake their own shallow presuppositions for the 'sweet reasonableness' which actuates and glorifies all work for the saving of men in the deeper spiritual sense—may sneer at them, but genuinely Christian people will welcome anything that tends to 'revive us again' when for one reason or another the multitudes have become careless regarding the things of God, and hardened in a course of greedy money-seeking, silly pleasuring, or voluptuous dissipation. Where bridge-whist and theatre going are 'all the rage' a revival, brand new from heaven, is not an intrusion.

"The attitude of a Christian in time of revival should be that of alertness, sympathy and consecration. Each should have some share in the work, and obtain a due portion of the benefit, for when the 'showers of blessing' fall, no one is warranted in putting up an umbrella. An attitude implies at least two things—attention and action. Attention is the condition of all psychologic experience and spiritual growth; the attitude demanded is not simply a statuesque pose, but an aggressive advance. These general principles seem clear—to him who does not close one eye against them; and they will appeal—to him who is not staking his eternal welfare on the wager of a worldly life. A revival means work for all though not necessarily in the same way or place, for 'the King's business' is very various, and none can judge as to another's precise duty. Every man a worker, and 'to every man his work' are indisputable principles of moral procedure to which no man can be insensitive and remain a Christian, and for disregard of which every man without exception, whether nominally 'Christian' or not, will at the Day of Judgment be required to give a strict account."

CZERWONKY.

One of the artists who make Boston a world-renowned musical center is the violin virtuoso, Richard Czerwonky, who has been engaged to play at the Unitarian church, on Sunday evening, February 28th. Born in Germany in 1886; a pupil, in succession, of Barmeister, Zajic, Moser and Joachim; three times winner of the Mendelssohn prize, and once of the Joachim prize; repeatedly soloist with the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra; solo artist in many European cities; second concert master of the Boston Symphony Orchestra; and one of the favorite violinists and teachers in Boston,—he has, for one so young, had a most unusual career. That he can be heard in Winchester, by the general public, "without money and without price" is due to the generosity of a lady in the congregation, together with the good offices of Mr. Joshua Phippen. That Mr. Phippen, of whom as an artist Winchester is justly proud, is to direct this musical service, presiding at the organ, insures a balanced program, and a rare musical treat. The numbers will be interspersed with devotional services, conducted by Mr. Lawrance.

This Organ recital, which is to begin at seven o'clock, is freely open to all. It will introduce the annual series of Vesper Services, at the Unitarian Church, which will continue until Palm Sunday, at which time another Musical Service, also under Mr. Phippen's charge, will bring the series to a close.

There are people in this country who are deliberately looking for a war with Japan. One of those people is a New York newspaper owner who did his best or worst to bring about war between the United States and Spain. People who would rather see war than peace, and who have forgotten the tragedies of Cuba, should follow the teachings of such people, the men who preach "patriotism and circulation." Charlestown Enterprise.

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"GHOSTS."

The following extract from an article by Frank Crane entitled "Ghosts", which appeared in the Atlantic Magazine for December is worth perusing by those who are in any way interested in the so called "higher education" of our youth:

"The two studies that are emphasized in most colleges as essential are Latin and Greek. It is amusing to see the "reasons" gravely put forth by college professors for retaining the subjects in the curriculum. They feel some tremendous pressure, and, never dreaming that it is a strong gray hand of a ghost, they exercise their wits to the utmost to make their ghost propulsion seem the force of reason. As a matter of fact, there was at one time an excellent reason. Not so very far in the past Latin and Greek were the only languages having a grammar and a literature. Hence to know Latin was naturally the mark of a scholar. It is needless to say that such a day is long past. There is a better body of English, French and German literature now than the Latins ever had and these languages have also their laws of accidence and canons of style. Any youth will be profited really more by studying Goethe, Moliere and Shakespeare than by grubbing fossils from the graves of Horace and Cæsar. But the difficulty with this argument is that it is simply real and alive; and what chance does a poor living thing have in combating a venerable ghost? You cannot fight a ghost, your sword goes right through him. He does not argue, he just is—and there you are! Consequently we may expect yet many a year to send boys to study mummies as a training for dealing with men."

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The meeting of the local Union last week was held at the home of Mrs. G. H. Hamilton and was well attended. The program was devoted to Lincoln's memory, his position on the temperance question being especially considered. It is a pleasure to know that in this as in all moral reforms he was on the right side. As the day was also the regular memorial meeting for Frances E. Willard, a tribute was paid to her and a contribution made to the memorial organization fund.

Work was begun on articles for the fair to be held in April at Tremont Temple and it was voted that the next Meeting should be a sewing meeting for this purpose. A committee, Mrs. Kelley chairman, was appointed to provide materials. Two new members were added to the Union. Music by Robert Hamilton and light refreshments added to the pleasure of the occasion.

Representatives of the local Union attended the funeral at Medford, Sunday afternoon of Mrs. Abby Saxes, a prominent W. C. T. U. worker and for nearly a quarter century the recording secretary of the county union. Her death is a great loss to the organization as well as to the Church and town in which she had been a life long worker.

A KEEN INTEREST MANIFESTED.

Mr. McCall's withdrawal as representative in the eighth district, which he has held against all comers for nine successive elections, would cause wide regret among his constituents. There is no doubt, however, that it would, on the other hand please quite a few gentlemen who have looked with longing eyes upon his position in congress, only waiting for something to turn up which would give them the opportunity of jumping into the breach. To these gentlemen Mr. McCall's decision has the keenest sort of interest. Already Hon. James J. Myers has been in Washington and been introduced as "McCall's successor." Activity in other directions may soon be expected and if Mr. McCall should decide to give up his congressional career for that of a college president, a perfect flood of candidates may be expected to come forth, as if by magic.—Cambridge Chronicle.

GIVE VERDICTS FOR MR. HEMINGWAY.

Verdicts for damages amounting to $6881 were given in the superior court in East Cambridge Monday against the Boston Elevated Company. Charles E. Hemingway of Winchester, who on April 10, 1905, was struck by a car of the defendant company while driving a team, and who sued for $10,000, received $1250. Mendel Stoklan of Woburn, who was on the car with his wife and daughter, sued for $15,000 and was awarded $5000. His daughter Sarah was awarded $25 and his wife Jennie $600.

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KEITH'S THEATRE.

Another rather luminous star comes to Keith's Theatre next week in Blanche Ring, a Boston girl, who has attained the highest possible point in musical comedy, and is now proving an even greater success in vaudeville. Her latest is called "Yip-I-Ady." This was introduced by her when she was a member of Joe Weber's Company, and ran for an entire season in New York. It is now proving a tremendous hit in vaudeville.

Another feature that is sure to make a lasting impression in Boston is a sketch called "Circumstantial Evidence." To tell any more about it would be to spoil a splendid story except to say that it has created a vast amount of talk at a time when circumstantial evidence is entering into so many court cases.

Another sketch with more comedy in it, that will demand attention, is called "Freckles," played by Anna Blanke & Co. It was written by J. Frank Davis and Robert Hilliard, the actor, the action taking place in Madison Square Park, New York, and the principal characters being a waif of the streets and a grand army man. Others are Kenney, McGahan and Platt in a novelty, Hal Merritt, the talking cartoonist; LeRoy and LaVanion; Sam Stern in a monologue and the Keith special show.

WOBURN SHOULD DO LIKEWISE.

Editor of The Star:

In last week's issue of the Star, I noticed an article and comments on the Winchester Business Men's Sunday noon conference and signed by the Woburn Journal. In the remarks passed the writer says he fails to understand why the gentlemen of Winchester sat so long listening to such a dry theme as Senator Crosby's.

Mr. Editor we do not wonder, for all such persons as the writer are dull to understand anything that is good and uplifting. Had it been a dance and drinking and a degrading theme, probably it would appeal to him more strongly, and be more to his taste.

Also, Mr. Editor, he predicts that the organization will probably like the one in Woburn, soon fall through. As a member of this body of men I will, for his personal knowledge, inform him that the organization was not formed to be permanent, but only for a certain length of time, till we see fit to take up some other theme that will help to uplift mankind morally and spiritually and bring men to the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. I am inclined to think, Mr. Editor, that the writer did not wantonly wish to criticise the organization and that it is purely a political personal insult to Senator Crosby, and the only way to give it was to use an organization in which the Senator had been invited to speak. Personally, I would advise the writer to start something in Woburn after the pattern of Winchester and encourage the people of that town to live lives of usefulness, instead of sending his unappreciated article to our Winchester Star.

Very truly Yours,

A Member of Winchester's Business Men and Sunday Noon Conference.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Gentlemen's Night at the Fortnightly Monday evening, Feb. 22, promises to be very entertaining in spite of the fact that it is radically different from the original plan owing to the cancellation of Judge Lindsey's engagement. The Lotus Quartett has been secured and will give a number of selections for male voices.

More than a dozen Fortnightly women are preparing to present a little "skit" written by one of them, entitled "The Substitute, or a Club Sandwich." In this it is rumored that the glass is to be held up to nature, or at least to the club, and the town, a part of it being a bit from the real life of a prominent member.

Following the program there will be a reception with light refreshments and later an opportunity will be given for those who wish to dance.

The meeting has been made an open one and any one desiring tickets may purchase them for 50 cents of Mrs. Mary F. B. Woods, 65 Parkway, Tel. 173-8. It is hoped that those intending to go will notify Mrs. Woods as soon as possible in order to arrange with the caterer for the refreshments. Club members will be admitted on presentation of their membership tickets but it would be a favor to the president if they would signify their intentions beforehand.

HORATIO BARNARD.

Horatio Barnard, one of the oldest residents of this town, and member of the West Parish church, after a very long illness, passed peacefully away at the home of his nephew, E. Lawrence Barnard at Winchester, where services were held Saturday, Jan. 30 at 1 p. m. The remains were taken to West Andover and interred in his family lot. He leaves two nephews and one niece, Mrs. Fannie Barnard Clark.

He was the son of Herman and Elizabeth Barnard, and cousin to the late Warren Barnard. He was named for a great minister, and rightly so; for from boyhood, he was a leader, and had the power influencing for good.

From early manhood, many of his friends and neighbors would seek him for counsel when in some doubt about business, and he was always ready to give the helpful advice. As a business man, he was wise, penetrating, discreet and shrewd. He had a kindly interest in and care for others. He was always humane and friendly. He early formed the habit of seldom giving his opinion to others, and always tried to avoid thoughtless utterances.

Since the death of his mother and sister, he has lead the life of a recluse, cooking, washing, even doing his mending. Many are the nights he has spent about West Parish, watching beside of his sick friends and strangers, sometimes walking miles through the woods.

When an undertaker was inaccessible, he would very kindly act as substitute.

To those who knew him, and loved him, his "silent kindnesses" will never be forgotten.

During this last year, God put him into the place of great suffering and affliction, that his "other life" might come nearer, and this world's recede. The sweet singer of Israel said: "Before I was afflicted I went astray, but now will I keep Thy word." So he was made "perfect" through his suffering. His was the soul who became saintly like the silver through a seven-times refining. As we watched him, we saw "what Almighty Grace can do" and then we hoped that Almighty Grace would do it for us. His afflictions made him lessen his grip of this world, and boldly anchor his soul in the City of Habitations, whose Builder and Maker is God. As he learned the Christ lessons from affliction, he gained the Christ mastery of suffering, and over his soul came the peace of righteousness, the peace of right mindedness, that could quietly say when death came "If this is Thy will, I accept it."

In summer we pass his hayfield, and see the tall grass rolling like the sea waves, and realize that they are scentless until the measured swish of the scythe lays each green head low, and the sweet odor like mist arises.

The woodruff that holds up handfuls of little white crosses in his woods and shady glens yield no scent till life has ebbed. We will pause and say, what a beautiful emblem of this aged townsman, who bore up under his crosses and afflictions in this world, yet his richer value we only have begun to know, when he went aways and of his pure heart and soul, we say inwardly, "He being dead, yet speaketh." —Andover Townsman.

Every married man should own a home. Can you raise $500? That will make the first payment on a cosy home I have to offer you. George Adams Woods.

TREE WARDEN RETIRES.

Editor of the Star:

Sir:—It is with feelings of regret that, after four years of service as tree warden, I have decided not to be a candidate for reelection for the coming year. In retiring from the office I do not need to ask for my successor the earnest co-operation of the citizens of Winchester. There are probably few towns in the Commonwealth where the intelligent interest in the preservation and care of trees is so general and so active as in Winchester. There is no lack of support for the tree warden in carrying out his duties, and no lack of appreciation when those duties are well done. It must always be a pleasure to serve under such conditions.

I am pleased with the assurance that the work will be taken up by my successor with all the knowledge, devotion to the public interest and good judgement which are needed to carry it forward successfully. Mr. Samuel S. Symmes who has consented to accept the nomination, assuredly needs no introduction to the voters of Winchester. His years of service to the town have proved his capacity and his fitness for office. There can, of course, be no question of his election.

A writer in the last issue of Woodland and Roadside, the official publication of the Massachusetts Forestry Association, thus refers to the selection of candidates for the office of tree warden:

"The basic fact for the voters to recognize is this,—that the office of tree warden is one of the most important within the gift of the town and that no man should be chosen to fill that post who would not at least make an acceptable selectman. Any one who will take the pains to read the body of laws under which a tree warden acts will recognize at once that here is a position which calls not only for a good executive head, but equally for a man of even judgement. It is indeed a semi-judicial post, and in many towns it is of far greater importance to select a man for his judicial capacity, for his knowledge of men and the ways of men, than for his insight into the life history of the trees."

"The shade trees of a town are indeed an index of the state of cultivation to which its inhabitants have attained. Many a town that today would not tolerate bad roads, but where only a few years ago the people wallowed in mire throughout the spring, has not yet arrived at the point where the value of the highway trees is appreciated to the full. There can be no doubt, however, about the economic value of the trees. Quite aside from the pleasant shade they afford through the sultriness of summer, and entirely independent of the added charm that they give to the most attractive town, there is a more distinctively utilitarian side, for they are real protectors of our expensive highways. To be chosen by a town to administer so important a branch of the public service can be nothing short of an honor."

Before relinquishing the responsibility of office I desire to place on record my opinion on one point, in reference to which I have not previously made any public statement. It is a question upon which it has seemed to me profitless to enter into public discussion, but upon which I wish now to have my say, once and for all.

From time to time a considerable amount of persistent criticism has been directed against the employees of the Tree Department. In some cases this criticism has been justified, I should be the last to deny it; and I have done what at the time seemed to me best to remove the causes. In many cases however, there has been no justification, and, through misunderstanding of conditions the men have been unfairly accused of negligence and incompetence. The work of no other department of the town is so liable to this misunderstanding, or, it might be said, so constantly under the watchful scrutiny of the public. It is well that the work should be watched closely, and honest criticism is helpful and stimulating. But the impression has gained a footing in some quarters that this work is wastefully extravagant and that the men are all shirks and an incompetent set. Consequently I wish to emphatically express my conviction that no set of men with whose work I have ever been familiar, has, as a rule, been more efficient and faithful than the men of this department. I believe they earn every cent that is paid them. Those at present in the department (seven in number) have all served steadily for three years, and I wish to publicly express my personal gratitude for their faithful public service. I trust that I voice the sentiment of the townspeople in general.

Yours very truly,

February 16, 1909. Ingress T. Guild.

EPIPHANY CLUB.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Epiphany Club will be held in the Small Town Hall, Tuesday, February 23, at 7.45 p. m. Mayor Hibbard is to be present, as a guest, and will make an address. The meetings of this Club, which is composed of the men of the Parish of the Epiphany, are strictly informal, and it is earnestly hoped, by the President and Executive Committee, that the men will be present in large numbers, to welcome the Mayor of Boston, who will give them a very interesting talk.

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The eulogy, the most eloquent one ever heard at the Mystic Side Church was delivered by Samuel J. Elder, Esq., of Winchester. Mr. Elder, who is one of the most distinguished members of the Massachusetts bar, took for his theme "The Character of Lincoln."

The speaker compared Lincoln with Napoleon and showed the American with his simple grandeur to be the greater. He told his hearers that he was going to tell the story of Lincoln's life and asked them as people asked children, to make believe they had never heard it before. And most of them never heard it told in the charm and ease with which Mr. Elder told it, drawing lessons from Lincoln's greatness and bringing them home with great force. He traced his life from the humble birth in the Kentucky wilderness to his tragic death at the hand of the assassin, and declared him to be the most unique character in history. He dwelt especially on Lincoln's honesty, how he was honest as a country merchant, as a lawyer and statesman.

Mr. Elder related the story of how in his early law practice Lincoln came up on the word "demonstrate" and not being able to comprehend its meaning went through all the books of Euclid and mastered the problems of geometry until he knew what "demonstrate" meant. It was this training which made Lincoln careful with the use of words and that care in diction made him a great orator.

The speaker told of the very few books from which Lincoln drew his inspiration. They were all great works and Mr. Elder questioned if after all the man of few books is not better off and has a better mental training than one having endless reading to draw from.

Lincoln's great work on the emancipation proclamation brought forth Mr. Elder's great reverence as he told the story of the great care Lincoln took before making this action.

After the service Mr. Elder was warmly congratulated on his address and was gratified to find in the audience many personal friends who had come to Mystic Side to hear him.

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A Welcome Announcement.

If the recommendation of the Water Board is agreed to by the citizens at the approaching town meeting, Winchester will have the lowest minimum meter water rate of any city or town in the State. The Board will ask permission to reduce the rate from $12 to $8. The adoption of this rate ought to banish all fears on the part of citizens regarding the use of meters. Winchester has a valuable asset in its water plant, such as no other city or town in this vicinity is fortunate enough to possess. This is due in great measure to the wise foresight of the first Water Board whose policy has been handed down during the many years to the gentlemen composing the present Board, and the public are now partaking of the benefit. All of which goes to substantiate the belief that better results are attained from an unpaid board, than from a paid board.

Inspector of Wires.

The recent letter in the STAR from Mr. Strout on the need in this town of an inspector of electric wires is well worth the serious consideration of the citizens of Winchester. He made the statement, and there can be no doubt of its correctness, that contractors, if so disposed, can use and cover up defective material, and it need never be known. If a fire should be caused by the use of cheap material and slack work, this fact cannot be ascertained as the wires showing the sham work are certain to be buried. There are three State inspectors but it is hardly to be expected that they can examine all the work.

The danger to be feared is likely to come from outside contractors who are not inclined to be particular and from builders of cheap houses. The contractors in Winchester have reputations to maintain, therefore they cannot afford to do poor work, and they do not. The trouble is likely to come from outside men who do not care particularly for the kind of work they do, provided they get the contract.

A PLEASANT BIRTHDAY.

Chesley Whitten observed his fourteenth birthday by giving a Masquerade Party at his home on Everett avenue, Saturday evening, February thirteenth. Mrs. Kingston furnished the music. Dancing from seven to 10 o'clock.

The following were among those present: Guy Messenger, Mexican; Derby Weston, Clown; Allen Wilde, Old Lady; Norman Small, Cadet; Loring Gleason, Frog; Robert Cutting, Baby; Edwin Lawson, Clown; Howard Meinke, Sport; Edward Sache, Clown; Raymond Young, Bluebeard; Bryant Woods, Ghost; Weber Emery, Uneeda Biscuit; Franklin Lane, Frog; George Hazeltine and Lawrence Lombard, Twin Sisters; Chesley Whitten, Clown; Ora Wingate, Folly; Sylvia Gutterson, Nun; Marjorie Dunn, Jester; Norma Benet, Colonial Maid; Margaret Cumings, Mexican Girl; Alice Cutting, Spanish Girl; Portia Wallis, Ballet Girl; Eunice Grover, Black Cat; Marjorie Braddock, A Valentine; Estelle Davis, Folly; Josephine Woods, Old-fashioned Girl; June Root, Swiss Girl; Constance Lane, Domino; Katherine Lawrence, Jester; Mary Whitten, Columbia.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

February 15th, 1909

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Hearing on petition of Mrs. Emily C. Spicer by George Chandler Colt, asking for the laying out of Curtis street from Pine street to Wedge Pond, as and for a town way. Present, Mr. Colt, representing Mrs. Spicer and also Mrs. Jeanette Golden Fish. Mr. Stephen Thompson and Mr. Appolonio, representing Mr. and Mrs. William Firth.

Voted to view the premises on Thursday next at 3.30 p. m.

Voted the Clerk order the usual election dinner for March 1.

Warrants drawn for $411.24 and $618.61.

Adjourned at 9.45 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk

FREE FISHING AT THE RESERVOIRS.

What Shall We Do About It?

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

What would David N. Skillings, Sr. James F. Dwinell and Moses Herrick, Winchester's first board of water commissioners who worked so faithfully and patriotically to establish our almost perfect water system, say if they should now visit our reservoirs in the Fells and see the great number of people from all the surrounding country continuously fishing through the ice, setting as many lines as they please, conducting themselves according to their own ideas of propriety and decency without considering the fact they may be polluting a water supply and at the same time exterminating the fish which the first commissioners caused to be put into the reservoirs for the benefit of the water, and to afford restricted fishing solely for the inhabitants of Winchester? Those of us who remember these benefactors of the town can imagine how quickly they would stop such lawlessness as is now openly practiced by out-of-town people at our reservoirs. They would find law enough and means enough to stop at once such proceedings as are now carried on without let or hindrance from anybody. All the boards of Winchester water commissioners, up to the present time, have had no trouble whatever in preserving the purity of the water and in controlling the fishing by restricting it to proper seasons and to inhabitants of Winchester. At present no permits are issued, but contrary to direct vote of the town, everybody from everywhere fishes as much as they please and all conduct themselves just as they please without regard to State laws governing contamination of water supplies or without regard to laws governing fishing. Let it be said to the credit of Winchester that the reported indecent behaviour of a few people who have skated and fished at the reservoirs this present winter can all be charged to loafers and rowdies from a neighboring town who have heretofore not been allowed by Winchester authorities to fish at any time in our reservoirs. Why all such people should be allowed free rein to do as they please with our water supply, just at this time, is a hard question to answer intelligently. No laws on the statute books are so easy to enforce as laws controlling the purity of water supplies, especially water supplies owned wholly by towns, as is Winchester's. The town also exclusively owns its fishing privileges in the reservoirs and can allow whom it pleases to fish therein and can restrict fishing as much as it pleases. If fishing was restricted to one day in the year, or ten days, or what you will by those who have been given authority by the town to control the fishing, the restrictions could be easily enforced. The same laws as have restricted fishing and preserved the purity of Winchester water for the past twenty-five years or more can be enforced now as successfully as they ever have been. No vote of the town has ever been passed which curtailed in the least degree the authority and the bounden duty of the water board and the board of health to preserve the purity of our water supply, fishing or no fishing. No vote of the town has ever been passed which in any way lets up on the obligation of the Fells police (as stipulated in the lease of the town to the State of its Fells land) to "enforce all reasonable rules the town may vote" governing skating, boating, fishing and other uses of the reservoirs. Why everything pertaining to the care of our reservoirs is so different this year than formerly is hard to understand when the State and town laws controlling the use of reservoirs are the same as they have been for years. The citizens should try to understand this matter before town meeting, as it is an important question to decide whether to continue the present practices or not.

The writer has not personally "been a-fishing" at the reservoirs this winter, but has visited the locality many times and conferred with many leading citizens regarding present conditions. Probably not over fifteen or twenty citizens of Winchester in all have fished through the ice, but large numbers have come from neighboring towns and cities, and still larger numbers will come as fast as they find out that Winchester authorities have abandoned the care of the reservoirs. Not a single Winchester fisherman approves the course of the Winchester Board of Health or of the Water Board in openly allowing such lawlessness as now obtains at the reservoirs. In fact they openly condemn it and do not want any such open, unrestricted fishing. How the Board of Health can stand by its statement of last spring, claiming that one "walking typhoid" person spitting in a three hundred acre reservoir from the shore could poison a whole town, and at the present time allowing all the out of town "bummers" typhoid, and otherwise, free fishing and a chance to pollute the water in any wholesale way and manner they please, is past the understanding of common people. Certainly the Board of Health and the Water Board took a great responsibility on themselves last spring when they declined to make any rules whatever governing fishing after the Town voted them authority to do so, and full authority to make as strict rules as they thought best. The whole matter was left in their hands and they have done nothing whatever to preserve either the purity of the water, or restrict the fishing according to the practice of all the years since the water works have been established. To say they have not the power to enforce any rules or regulations they may make is simply childish, as they have as much power now as any Winchester Water Board ever possessed.

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The bowling committee has offered the cup to be contested for in the following manner:

1. There will be a qualification contest on Feb. 20th, 2 to 6 p.m., and Feb. 22nd, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 3 to 6, and 7.30 to 11.30 p.m. The 5 highest totals on 3 successive strings with handicap will qualify for the first roll-off contest.

2. On Feb. 27 at 7.30 p.m., the 5 men qualifying under the first section will roll a 3 string contest with handicap. The bowler scoring the largest 3 string total will be the first holder of the cup. The other 4 will be numbered consecutively according to their pin totals.

3. On March 6th, at 7.30 p.m., the first holder will roll No. 2 on the list in a 3 string contest, and each Saturday night thereafter the winner of the previous week will roll the next in order. The committee may arrange for more frequent contests if it seems necessary.

4. A holder of the cup who loses will go to the foot of the list of contestants and have an opportunity of contesting when reached in order.

5. Members not among the original 5, who wish to contest, may file written application with the Secretary of the bowling committee and their names will be placed on the list in the order in which applications are received.

6. Whenever in this tournament any member has won the cup three times, he shall be declared the permanent holder, the contest shall cease and cup shall be suitably inscribed.

BOWLING QUALIFICATION

Rule adopted by Bowling Committee of Calumet Club: Any member who is not assigned a rating may qualify by bowling twenty consecutive strings (on several days, if preferred) putting complete record on paper score sheets attested either by a club member, the steward or assistant steward and handing same to the bowling committe which will determine the rating.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The two principal things I hear talked about in connection with our schools are the two principal things connected with the high and grammar schools.

While it is well for the Town Treasurer to call attention to our share of the Metropolitan parks and sewer debts, as he does in the town report just received, nevertheless as we contribute to the sinking funds to take care of them by maturity, it need not worry us much.

There is nothing very striking in the town report excepting the increase in personal tax of two citizens recently deceased of about 3000 per cent. There are others still with us. So are the assessors.

Municipal ownership is a great thing. This town has owned an occupied home for five years and hasn't collected any rent yet. It also has 60,000 feet of land on Eaton street for which it has and will have no use. Why does it keep it? In some towns voters would talk about such things in town meeting, but we seem to have lost that faculty of late.

I hear that the W. I. A. had a quorum at its annual meeting recently, but that two could have made a tie vote on anything. Can it be that there is nothing calling for improvement in this town? If so, why was this association formed with such a flourish of trumpets? Too much dignity perhaps has been the trouble with it.

According to the Incidentals account in the town report there were in 1908, 200 births, 123 deaths and 89 marriages, while in 1907 there were only 18 births, 13 marriages and 19 deaths.

The Water Board recommends that the minimum meter charge can be reduced from $12 to $8. Would it not be better to go $10 first? Violent jumps up or down in revenue or taxes do not work well.

The Ap. Com. finished its work Monday night after many sessions and much work, and the attendance was full at every meeting. As the town seems more and more to depend upon this committee its authority to investigate might be widened to advantage.

PARISH OF THE EPIHPANY.

Next Wednesday will be Ash-Wednesday. Services will be at 9 a. m. and 8 p. m. The preacher at 8 p. m. will be the Rev. Dr. Hodges, Dean of the Theological School in Cambridge.

The first meeting for those, who are thinking of Confirmation or who are interested in the matter, will be Ash-Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

During the early part of Lent, there will be short services Friday afternoons at 5 o'clock, beginning next Friday. The Volunteer Choir will sing.

Lenten cards giving the services for Lent are being distributed this week, and will be in the church next Sunday.

The Epiphany Club will meet next Tuesday evening at 7.45 at the small Town Hall. Mayor Hibbard will be the speaker.

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We wish to call special attention to the fact that the Union Service on Sunday evening at seven o'clock, is to be held in the Town Hall. It will be necessary to go early to secure good seats.

Our people will be glad to know that a telephone is being installed at the parsonage.

Too much stress cannot be laid on the importance of the work and attendance of the Sunday School. The Superintendent urges all members and friends of the School to make a special effort to be present in their classes. With the least effort on your part, the class attendance might be doubled. Come in, even if you are late. The time however is twelve o'clock.

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gress of the revelation of God to man and then from Noah to Abraham and on and on through the major prophets and through the minor prophets until a door swings open wide and we are in the New Testament dispensation and the light shines brighter still. And this revelation of the will of God goes on until the close of the Apocalypse and then God makes himself known to man in Jesus Christ as his only begotten Son. In Christ we have the knowledge of the will of God for the redemption of man and the way that redemption would be brought about. In Jesus Christ we may see the forgiveness of our sins and God's pardoning the sinner and looking upon him as just in Jesus Christ. God has revealed himself to man. The doctrine of the incarnation is but the adoption of a universal law. Their word must be made flesh before it can be understood by men. The morning stars sang together but no man understood their song nor could interpret their message until Hershel, Copernicus and Hershel interpreted the song of the stars and now their message is the experience of every High School scholar. Electricity flashed its message through the air long before men understood it; but today the message of electricity is a part of the everday experience of man. The message has been made flesh. Franklin had his vision and then Tessla and Bell and Morse.

Edison made the message of electricity your every day experience for when you put the telephone receiver to your ear the word of electricity has been made flesh. Zoroaster, Confucius, Buddha, all the great philosophic teachers of the world had their dim visions of God, but it remained for Jesus Christ to make God a part of man's every day experience. There are men in the world that have this knowledge of God - there are men and women in the world whose souls have awakened toward consciousness communion with the Almighty, not only do they know him in nature, not only do they know him in the scripture, but they know him in Jesus Christ, in the power of His resurrection. They know Him whom to know is life and peace. They know Him in that blessed hope that makes the heart grow great with immortality. They know Him -- they know Him. But there are some, the text says, without the knowledge of God. There were some in Corinth, for the apostle was bringing his appeal to the believers in Corinth he said, some have not the knowledge of God. There were men in Corinth who did not have the knowledge of God; there were women that did not have it; they were young people there without this blessed consciousness, that God and Christ hath saved them by his grace. And what was true in Corinth is true in Winchester tonight.

Many in this company, have the knowledge of God -- you know Him -- you know Him as your Father and your Redeemer and your Friend, and all about us there are those without this knowledge; they are blind, they are in the dark, they have lost their way, they are dead; that is what the Scripture says; they are blinded by the god of the world, they have no spiritual perception. When they read the Bible they see nothing but the chapters and verses and words and punctuation marks. You see beneath the surface, but they have no vision and they perish, without the knowledge of God, blinded so they cannot see God in his word. They may see him in nature but they do not see him in the Scripture and they do not see him in Jesus Christ. Not only are they blind but they are in the dark, in the darkness of unbelief and sin wandering they know not where, groping and stumbling at noonday as in the night without God and without a hope in the world, no consciousness of sins forgiven, no consciousness that God is indeed their own father, not only by creation, but by regeneration, no consciousness that they are God's children. The spirit of Christ hath not come into their hearts, saying "Abbe!" Father! blind -- in the dark and they have lost their way, wandering to and fro without a God, stumbling into the pitfalls that the adversary sets for their unconscious feet. Not only are they lost, but they are dead, dead in trespasses and sin, longing for something that they do not possess, seeking after God, but there is none to show them the way. They are in distress of mind, distress of body, distress of state, troubled - no one to whom they can go -- no help in time of need, no comfort in time of sorrow, no strength in time of weakness, without God and without a hope in the world.

Dr. Bellows of the Twenty-ninth St. Marble Collegiate church in the City of New York, and at the General Synod of the Reform church meeting, in Asbury Park a few years ago made use of this illustration. He said there was a woman in the service something like this and she made a good resolution. She said, "I will speak to the first lost soul I meet on my way home." She was obliged to pass the jail. As she neared it, she saw the door open and a woman evidently who had been a prisoner and just discharged came out. The officers were saying goodbye and she was coming out into the world that was cold -- a world that had no welcome for her -- she was coming out again to a life of sin, to a life of hopelessness. There was sin in her face. This Christian woman could see it plainly. Christian woman could see it plainly. This Christian said to herself, "I never can speak to a woman like that -- I did not think I would meet one like she is!" And the poor woman came down the steps and this Christian woman went on her way and they met at the foot of the steps, yielding to a sudden impulse the Christian woman stopped not knowing just why, and the other woman did the same. Then yielding to another impulse, before she knew what she was doing the Christian woman stepping forward had taken the face of her falling sister in her hands and imprinted a kiss on her cheeks. The other woman stepped back as though she had been burned and put up her hands, saying "Don't do that, don't do that! Nobody has done that for me since mother died!" O this cry of loneliness, this cry of despair! Not only is it uttered by the poor and the outcast? I would not be surprised if there were women living in your beautiful homes in Winchester who are making this same cry tonight.

Two men were living in Salem, Mass. [illegible] said, some years before he died, for I heard him; one was a prominent Christian worker and the other man was not a Christian but both were prominent in the city and well-to-do-business men in Boston. The unsaved dying man told by his wife that his friend the Christian was dying and he soliloquized something after this fashion: "So and So is dying. Is he? And if the Bible is true, he is going to heaven and I am going to the lost world. We have gone to Boston together on the same train to business every morning for many years. We have sat in the same seat frequently. We have talked about finance, we have talked about politics, we have talked about home social affairs, we have talked about almost everything under the sun but religion. And he is a Christian and is going to heaven to spend Eternity there and he never said anything to me about Jesus Christ." Friends, it was the mission of Jesus Christ in the earth to hush this cry of loneliness and despair. It is the mission of every member of the Church of Christ to find these lonely ones, to find these men and women without the knowledge of God and bring it to them.

Now for the last thing suggested by the text. It is a shame and a sin for those who have the knowlege of God to withhold it from those who have it not. I speak this to your shame. A literal translation of that expression was rendered thus: I speak thus to put you in shame. The Greek word that is translated shame there is a domestic term and it was seldom ever used between parents and their children. It was a term something like the one with which you and I are familiar - "Shame on you." The great apostle in writing to these Corinthian Christians, these men and women who had received the knowledge of God, said, "There are some among you who have not the knowledge of God; shame on you, you ought to be ashamed of yourself. Not only is it a shame, but it is a sin. Awake to the righteousness and sin not, for some have not the knowledge of God." Samuel, you remember, believed it was a sin not to pray for sinning Israel. "God forbid that I should sin in ceasing to pray for you." He felt the burden of the lost. He felt the burden of those who had no knowledge of God and he was consciousness enough to acknowledge that it was a sin not to remember the lost in prayer.

I wonder if you and I feel that way tonight? Friends, it is not only a sin but if I understand my Bible aright, it is a crime to withhold the knowledge of God from those who have it not.

Suppose you and I were standing at Niagara Falls. You were some twenty-five feet from me and I was standing at Prospect Point and I saw that man come down by my side and climb upon the rail and climb over the rail and throw himself into the water and go over the Falls and be lost; what would you say to me if I did not reach out my hands and do my best to prevent it? You would mob me I am afraid, at least some people would cry, "Shame! shame!" And you would shun me. Think of the men, think of the men in Winchester without the knowledge of God approaching the abyss of death and they are unconscious of their danger and you and I with supine indifference let them go on! The Apostle Paul says, it is a shame and he says it is a sin, and the law would say it is a crime.

Let me read to you from the Third Chapter of Ezekiel beginning with the seventeenth verse:

"Son of man, I have made thee a watchman unto the house of Israel: therefore hear the word at my mouth, and give them warning from me. When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die; and thou givest him not warning, nor speakest to warn the wicked from his wicked way, to save his life; the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand."

There is a Judgment Day coming for Christians who neglect their duty, "His blood will I require at thy hand." "Deliver me from blood guiltiness, O God, thou God of my salvation," said the Psalmist. I believe he knew this truth. "Am I my brother's keeper," said guilty Cain, and a great many people have been asking that same question. God replied, "The voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground!" "I am free from the blood of all men," said the Apostle Paul, "for I have shown and outwardly declared unto you the whole council of God." He believed God was going to call him to account. The Judgment Day is coming for the Christian. I fear you and I will be called to answer for our neglect—seeing men in danger—seeing women wandering from God, and we do not try to save them! A shame, a sin, and a crime! "When I say unto the wicked thou shalt surely die and thou givest him not warning nor speakest to warn the wicked from his wicked ways, to save his life the same wicked man shall die in his iniquity and his blood will I require at thy hand. Yet if thou warn the wicked and he turn not from his wickedness, nor from his wicked ways, he shall die in his iniquity, but thou hast delivered thy soul.

If you and I do our best to bring our friends and neighbors to the knowledge of God in Christ, we have delivered our souls. We cannot do it by proxy. You cannot do it by paying a minister's salary. You cannot do it by inviting an evangelist to come and be with you. Each one of us as individuals will be called to account for individual influence and individual service in the great day. Can you and I say we are free from the blood of all men?

O, friends, let us do our duty. In Proverbs, it is said, "If they forbear to rell them that are drawn unto death and those that are ready to be slain, if they say,—Behold we knew it not, —doth not he that pondereth the heart, considereth and he that keepeth thy soul, doth he not do and shall he not render to every man according to his works?"

This is an awful truth. I hardly believed it many years ago, but when I took my Bible and read those passages upon my knees it came to me with an awful overwhelming force. You and I with the knowledge of God withholding it from those who have it not, are guilty of sin and will be called to account. But if we do our best to bring this knowledge of God to those who have it now we have delivered our souls. Your very presence in this audience tonight is a proof that you desire to give the knowledge of God to those who have it not in your homes; your very presence here tonight is a proof that you not only have this desire, but it is the purpose of your heart to do what you can, and you only long to know how—just to know how. Friends, it is often but a little word! Do you know that bringing men and women to Jesus Christ is not as difficult a work as some people imagine: It is an easy thing just to say a word in season.

One man said to a young man who is a friend of mine, "My friend said, I have been in the meeting and was not impressed; quite a number had decided to yield and I was going out with just as hard a heart as ever; and a kindly old gentleman stopped me at the door. He placed both of his hands on my shoulders and then looking very kindly into my eyes and with trembling voice and tear-dimmed eyes, he said, 'I am praying for you!'" And that young man who was an active worker in a Young Men's Christian Association in Chicago, when he told me, said, "Sir, I could not sleep that night until I prayed for myself." It is such a little thing to help a man to Christ. A note sent to a man through the mail, "I am praying for you and hope you will give yourself to Christ and join us as a Christian." I have known many and many a man to have been led to Christ by a note from a friend. Even in these little ways you and I may help men to Christ. I have known of some being saved by a touch—when an invitation is given in a service and those almost persuaded are being urged to decide for Christ. Just a nudge of the elbow tells more than volumes of sermons. I have seen many and many a man almost persuaded touched into the Kingdom. And then sometimes all it takes is a look, an appealing entreaty—just a turning of the body of some Christian and touching the eye of another, and that one standing in response to that tender appeal. I am afraid we magnify the difficulties of soul-winning. These coming days let us do the little things and the big things will take care of themselves.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

The caucus has come and gone, and the past week has witnessed in the list of officers to be balloted for, especially those for Selectmen. A week ago where but two members of the present Board were to be candidates, the first of the week saw four who were willing to return. Mr. Dwinell succumbed first to the persuasion of friends, and then Mr. Richards fell into line after urgent demands that he serve at least another year, because of them any important matters before the town awaiting settlement. Of course the citizens were glad to retain their services.

As a logical outcome of the suggestions made several years ago a special committee favoring the consolidating of town offices, it was clearly foreseen upon the retirement of Town Clerk Carter, that Collector Hovey would be his successor. Mr. Hovey is a good man for the position.

Another change is the retirement of Tree Warden Guild, who will be succeeded by Mr. Samuel S. Symmes.

The only contest that is likely to arise is on the election of Selectmen, but the voters on election day will keep pretty close to the decision of the Caucus.

There was a good representation of voters at the caucus, some 200 being present. Charles N. Harris, Esq., was chosen chairman and Theodore P. Wilson, secretary. Mr. Harris was also unanimously nominated as Moderator to serve at the town meeting.

The result of the Caucus last evening was as follows:

Selectmen—

Geo. A. Barron	40
M. Douglas Campbell	47
James H. Dwinell	176
William C. Newell	66
Addison R. Pike	79
William D. Richards	178
George B. Smith	114
Peter Walling	149
Frank W. Winn	123

Town Clerk—

John G. Hovey	169
Clyde W. Bell	4

Assessor—

Fred V. Wooster	118
John H. Carter	4

The following were nominated by acclamation:

Tree Warden—
Samuel S. Symmes
Collector—
John G. Hovey
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William H. Herrick
Overseer of Poor—
George H. Carter
Treasurer—
Thomas S. Spurr
Water and Sewer Board—
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Preston Pond
Cemetery Commissioner—
Samuel W. Twombly
Board of Health—
Marshall W. Jones
School Committee—
C. F. A. Currier, 3 years
Marcus B. May, 2 years
C. E. L. Wingate, 1 year
Trustee of Town Library—
George H. Eustis
Constables—
James P. Hargrove
Edward F. Maguire
William R. McIntosh

Mr. James F. Bunting has been confined to his home for a week with an attack of rehumatism.

Same Old Jag.

"Ebenezer," called out Mrs. Jagway from the floor above, "have you been drinking again?"

"No, m' dear," answered Mr. Jagway in the hallway below, "Not again. Still."—Chicago Tribune.

Reminded Him.

Waiter—Haven't you forgotten something, sir? Restaurant Patron—I'm glad you spoke of it. My wife told me not to spend any money foolishly, and I was just going to give you a tip. —Chicago News.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the Rev. Arthur J. Smith, D. D. Anthems—"How beautiful upon the mountain," Spinney; Quartette, "Dreams of Galilee," Morrison.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Lesson: "Stephen the First Christian Martyr." Acts 6: 1-8; 8.

3 p. m. A mass meeting for young people in the main auditorium to be conducted by Dr. Smith. All young people heartily invited.

7.00 p. m. A meeting for men and women of the town in the Town Hall to be addressed by Dr. Smith. Miss Margaret Conrad will sing. Everybody will be welcome.

Wednesday, 4.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet at the vestry. All come. Review the first four lessons, learn lesson five in advance.

Saturday, 7.45 p. m. The Church Committee will meet at the parsonage any who may desire to unite with the Church either by letter or upon confession of faith.

Evangelistic Services will be held every evening this week except Saturday in the main auditorium. See special notice elsewhere.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Mind."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. The Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson, of Newton, will preach.

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. D. W. Pratt.

5.00 p. m. Metcalf Union. The last meeting until after Easter. Leader, Miss Marjorie Root. Mr. Lawrence will speak.

Thursday, 3.00 p. m. Ladies' Friendly Society. Sewing meeting.

Friday, 7.00 p. m. Annual Men's Dinner, in Metcalf Hall. Guests are requested to come at 6.30, for a social half-hour. The Hon. Marcellus Coggan will preside. Addresses by Mr. T. A. Fagan, on "Railroads and Public Welfare" and Mr. Franklin H. Wentworth, on "Aims and Objects of Socialism." Music by a Male Quartette.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship with sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "Before Him." The quartette will sing.

12.00 m. Sunday School. Topic, "Stephen the Christian Martyr."

3.00 p. m. Young People's meeting at Congregational Church.

7.00 p. m. Union Evangelistic meeting at the Town Hall.

From Tuesday to Friday, 3.00 p. m. meetings for women.

Tuesday and Wednesday at Methodist Church. Thursday and Friday at the Baptist Church.

Union service every evening at 7.45 p. m., except Saturday.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Albert Edmund Brown, Soloist, will sing, "There is a Land Immortal," by R. L. Baldwin; and "Eye Hath Not Seen," by Gaul, from the "Holy City." The pastor will speak. Seats free. Welcome.

12 m. Bible School. Classes for all.

12 m. Conference for Business Men. Miss Small will speak.

3 p. m. Union Young People's Meeting in the Congregational Church.

7 p. m. Union Evangelistic Service in the Town Hall. Miss Conrad, of Boston meetings, will sing.

Union meetings every night next week except Saturday, and other special meetings which will be advertised later. Dr. Arthur J. Smith, speaker. Allen B. Fenno, Director of Music.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor on an evangelistic topic.

12.15 p. m. Bible School. Mr. John McLean, Superintendent. Session of the "Cornerstone Class," led by Mr. Chapin.

5.15-5.45 p. m. Brief prayer service for the young people.

6.15-6.40 p. m. Meeting for worship, with brief address by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week Prayer and conference meeting.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Quinquagesima Sunday.

8 a. m. Holy Communion.

10.30 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Through the office of George Adams Woods agreements have been signed for the sale of property of Mrs. Mary Kelley, No. 465 Main Street, comprising house and 6825 square feet of land to Dr. Harold A. Gale who buys for a home.

Dr. William H. Gilpatric has contracted to buy through the same office the house of Mrs. Carrie M. Brigham with 4096 square fee of land, No. 469 Main street. Dr. Gilpatric has rented the property, which he is purchasing, temporarily to Mrs. Brigham.

Mr. Woods has agreements signed for the sale of a garage and 1786 square feet of land adjoining the other estates owned by Mary Kelley and Carrie M. Brigham to Dr. Gale and Dr. Gilpatric jointly.

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DORRIS—Feb. 13, Mary Annie Dorris. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9.30 from the home of her niece, Theresa Stanley, 23 Winchester park.

Some Troubles of a Pianist.

Harold Bauer, the pianist, has had some curious experiences during his travels.

While playing in Barcelona he was challenged to fight a duel by an excited member of the audience whom he had reproved for disturbing the recital by his noisy conduct. On another occasion, in Italy, he had to be carried through an underground tunnel to escape the attentions of frantic admirers.

One of his most extraordinary experiences was in Russia. It was in a little town near Moscow, and in the middle of his performance the pianist was arrested by the police on the grounds that he was obtaining money under false pretenses. The police action was based on the grounds that a Hungarian dance appeared on the program and that there were no dancers. They overlooked the terrible fact that Mr. Bauer had played two marches without a single soldier being present. —Cincinnati Tribune.

Mrs. Fyffe Declined.

Some years ago it was decided by the navy department that the presence of the wives of the naval officers at the Asiatic station detracted too much from their official duties. So a general order was issued to the fleet directing that the wives be sent home. Admiral Fyffe, who was in command of the fleet, received the order in due time, and it came back to the navy department indorsed as follows:

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ODD FELLOWS WON THREE.

The Odd Fellows won three points on Tuesday evening from the Royal Arcanum team in the Fraternal Bowling series. Kelley of the losing team was high man for the evening with 95 and 262.

The score:

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MONNA VANNA.

The fifth and sixth of Mr. Brown's lectures to Fortnightly Members consisted of a study of the plays "Joyzelle" and "Monna Vanna" by Maurice Maeterlink.

The exquisite poetry of the former play was especially dwelt upon, the lecturer quoting at some length examples of the beautiful imagery and lofty morality set forth in the lines. As he said there was little in the play that was controversial, so the animated discussion that has accompanied the other plays was wanting, but a deep and sympathetic interest was evinced by Mr. Brown's audience and the good points of the discourse were fully appreciated.

Such lines as "She sleeps. . . . The breaths of the garden are hushed around her [illegible] to her breath, and the [illegible] of the night [illegible] silver [illegible] to [illegible] slumbers, and [illegible] not make [illegible] in the darkness that [illegible]."

"[illegible] sadness that follows [illegible] passing and [illegible] one by one [illegible] of [illegible] in which we clasp each other, for our greater happiness."

Quite a contrast was the second play, "Manna Vanna." In this there was a decided chance for a difference in opinion which was quite plainly manifested. The story was made familiar to most of the women in town by Miss Chamberlain's charming recital last year. In the study, Mr. Brown found Marco, the type of perfect justice, Vanna, perfect purity, and Prinzevalle, true human love. He said some fine things in the course of his talk, one in reference to Guido's brutally selfish and suspicious attitude on Vanna's return to him: "The power of suggestion arising from constant suspicion is the strongest motive for immorality"; another, "They who live upon the mountain heights of spiritual attainments must be content without companionship and without appreciation."

Mr. Brown's analysis of the two dramatists, Shaw and Maeterlinck, was of great interest, Shaw the intense realist, scorning romanticism, abjuring the sentimental, Maeterlink the most ideal of romanticists, giving to the world his fanciful creations, taking always a text of Scripture as the theme for a sermon which all are invited to read, whether creedless or otherwise, and yet the two men united in a close and fraternal fellowship in their struggle to overthrow the powers of darkness and awaken the world to the true meaning of life and the real solution of the problems with which existence is crowded.

The real value of these ethical and literary studies lies in the thought and discussion awakened, which has shown itself in a remarkable degree.

The seventh of the course, Sudermann's "Magda" will be given Feb. 18th.

LINCOLN'S DAY.

The Wadleigh School Lincoln Day exercises were held in the High School hall on Friday the 12th, between 10.45 and 12 o'clock. Besides the 350 pupils, twenty-five parents and friends assembled to hear the attractive program. The 115 pupils of grade nine and division A of the eighth grade sang specially prepared music, and ten of the number recited appropriate readings with marked acceptability. William I. Lawrance, Pastor of the Unitarian Church, gave an exceptionally impressive twenty minute Lincoln talk, using the martyred President's three prominent characteristics of earnestness, honesty and kindness as the major points about which to group his thoughts. The following was the program:

Song, "Peace."
Reading of Gov. Draper's Proclamation, Una Kinsley.
"Second Inaugural Address," Arthur Adams.
"When Lincoln Died," Ethel McEwen.
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"Lincoln," Alice Romskey.
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Song, "A Lesson in Giving."
Anecdote about Lincoln, Alan Wilde.
Original Essay, Marjory Burwell.
"Gettysburg Address," Francis Getty.
Song, "American Hymn."
"Lincoln," Helen Sweeney.
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The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of Registering New Voters as follows:

At the Town Hall on Tuesday Evening, February 16, 1909, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

Also at the Town Hall Building, Pleasant Street, Saturday Afternoon and Evening, February 20, 1909, from 12 o'clock noon, until 10 o'clock in the evening, which will be the last day of Registration.

See that your name is on the Voting List of your Town. If not there, call at the office of the Board of Registrars on the days above mentioned and be registered or you cannot vote. Bring with you a certificate from the Assessors or a tax bill or notice from the Collector of Taxes showing that you have been assessed a poll tax.

Naturalized citizens presenting themselves for registration must bring their naturalization papers with them.

By order of the Board of Registrars of Voters.

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THE PEOPLE AS PARTNERS.

A Clear Analysis of the True Ownership of Corporations.

Statistics concerning the ownership of the great corporations of the country compiled by the New York Times in a recent article are instructive and suggestive. They emphasize the fact which the Herald has several times asserted that the line between "corporation" interests and the "popular" interest, to which reference is continually being made, is only imaginary.

The public interest and the "corporation" or business interest are identical, however they may be commonly regarded. If any line of demarcation could be based upon the interest of ownership it would not separate from the masses of people the few hundred men who by reason of their leadership in financial and commercial enterprise are known as "capitalists."

According to the compilation of statistics referred to there are 500,000 shareholders in the railroad corporations of the country. Two billion dollars of railroad stocks and bonds are owned by banks and insurance companies. The banks of the country handle the money of 15,000,000 depositors. The savings banks of the country, with 8,500,000 depositors, have invested $600,000,000 in railroad securities. The life insurance companies in the safety of whose funds 25,000,000 policy holders have a direct interest, own hundreds of millions of railroad securities. Fire, accident and guarantee insurance companies have made similar investments.

The individual shareholders of record in the commercial and industrial corporations of the country number over 2,000,000. The delimitation of the capitalistic interest, even if it be restricted to the interest of ownership, must include these 2,500,000 individuals, and in respect with equal reason include the 8,500,000 depositors of savings banks whose funds are invested in industrial and commercial securities and the 25,000,000 holders of life insurance policies whose savings in the form of premiums are similarly invested.

Government ownership of railroads and of other great corporations has been urged as the ultimate remedy for the evils of monopolistic individual ownership. Reformers who persist in the attempted separation of the interests of the people and of capital ignore the fact that steady progress is being made toward popular ownership of the corporations, which is far preferable to government ownership as a preventive of monopoly.

Here is a cooperative commonwealth being organized by a process of evolution rather than that of revolution. Here is evidence of the disintegration of monopolistic ownership. Here is popular participation in the profits of capital. Here is the process by which the people and the great organizations of commerce and industry will be brought into closer touch with each other. And it is going on without any blare of trumpets or beating of tomtoms.—Boston Herald.

MANITOBA'S PHONE DEBT.

Heavy Financial Burden and Nothing to Show For It.

A writer under a Winnipeg date states that with regard to government operation of telephones the farmer, the laborer and the business man are finding out that the province is saddled with a telephone debt of $1,200,000 and actually no additional benefit has been conferred upon any citizen.

Those who voted for the government ownership of telephones did so under the belief that the service would be very much improved and that the charges for the use of the telephone would be reduced by at least one-half. As a matter of fact, the tolls have increased, and the service has not improved.

On the other hand, the regulations imposed by the government and vigorously enforced are far more irksome than those enforced by the telephone company which originally occupied the field. In fact, the present policy appears to be directed principally toward the securing of more revenue.

This naturally arouses indignation among the users of telephones, especially as they were told that rates would be reduced by at least one-half, and this assertion was backed up by ample expert testimony. Report after report was given to the people showing how little was the cost of building a telephone system and how great were the profits made therefrom by the old telephone company. All the hopes aroused by this class of report from academic sources have been blighted, and now the public finds itself shouldering a telephone debt of $1,200,000, a disadvantage without any corresponding benefit.—Milwaukee (Wis.) Wisconsin.

Easing Up on the City.

In Great Britain public utilities owned by the city are theoretically taxed just as though they were privately owned. The theory is, however, rarely carried into practice. A good illustration is the case of Sheffield, which owns its water, traction and electric plants, while gas is furnished by a company. The following figures for 1907 are eloquent of the sort of unfairness which is carefully suppressed by those who tell of the "success" of municipal ownership in England:

	Capital	Local tax
City	$[illegible]	$[illegible]
Company	[illegible]	[illegible]

Elephant Still on Its Hands.

The city clerk of Kansas, Ill., writes that the sale of the municipal electric light plant was not consummated, as the purchaser failed to meet the requirements of the sale. The plant is still for sale.

BASKET BALL.

WINCHESTER 54, STEARNS ACADEMY 12.

Winchester defeated Stearns Academy from Mt. Vernon, N. H., last Friday night in a one-sided game by the score of 54-12. The playing was most of the time under the visitors basket but once in a while they would get a little passing and get the ball near enough the Winchester basket to shoot but very seldom it counted. Winchester then passed all around the Stearns players and shot for goals at will. Cameron was again the star player getting 11 baskets to his credit, while Tuck who went in for Collins towards the close of the first half was a close second with 8. Keene excelled for the visitors. The great attraction on the Stearns team was Bob Bean a former Winchester fellow who played guard. The lineup:

WINCHESTER		STEARNS ACADEMY
Cameron	rf	Kennedy
Collins, Tuck	lf	Keene
Dover	c	Richmond
Thompson	lg	Fisher
Sharon, Hamilton	lg	Bean

Score: Winchester 54, Stearns Academy 12. Goals from the floor, Cameron 11, Collins, Tuck 8, Dover 5, Hamilton; Fisher, Keene 3. Goals from free tries, Cameron, Tuck, Keene 4. Referee, Mobbs. Umpire, Welch. Timer, Neiley. Time two 20 minute halves.

To Philip Sober.

When a woman who asked Philip of Macedon to do her justice was snubbed by the petulant monarch she exclaimed, "Philip, I shall appeal against this judgment."

"Appeal!" thundered the enraged king. "And to whom will you appeal?"

"To Philip sober," was her reply.

The Waning Honeymoon.

"I forgot something," said the husband.

"Yes," pouted the wife, "you forgot to kiss me."

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Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Means, Arthur E Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F. Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes.
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds.
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
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Superintendent of Water Works—William T Dotten.
Constables—W R McIntosh, E F Maguire, James P Hargrove.
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SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

While everybody is having his say about the condition of the schools it might be pertinent to ask what conditions of superiority result here from the relatively large expenditures for school supplies. Why do Winchester children need from two to three times the "school sundries" that are required in other prosperous communities of this state?

This is not to say that the purchase of supplies is necessarily extravagant. Quite possibly the appropriations in other towns are niggardly. Everybody ought to admit that teachers should have whatever apparatus is necessary for conduct of their work in accordance with present-day educational standards. But surely such a discrepancy as exists demands some detailed explanation—especially since the school supply houses, as everybody at all familiar with the business side of education knows, are perpetually on the lookout for "easy marks."

Here are some figures from the report of the State Board of Education for 1907-8 which must mean one of two things: either that the meaning of the terms is not identical in all the instances quoted and that Winchester is paying for articles classed as "school sundries" which elsewhere are put under another classification, or that the school authorities here have acted under different principles of economy from those prevailing in a number of other places. Possibly the Winchester idea of liberal expenditures for supplies is right and the ideas of all the rest are wrong. That is one of the questions which ought to be discussed in an era of close scrutiny of educational methods and results in this community. These, any way, are the figures:

EXPENDITURE FOR SCHOOL SUNDRIES.

Town	Average Membership of All the Schools	Expenditure for School Sundries
Arlington	1,778	$659.72
Dedham	1,907	908.00
Leominster	1,095	902.46
Newburyport	1,900	336.04
Peabody	1,890	984.09
West Springfield	1,982	534.57
Weymouth	2,144	674.97
Woburn	2,768	746.75
Winchester	1,617	2,207.79

Without raising an issue of blunder vs plunder—for quite possibly the facts are susceptible of some simple and natural explanation—one is still justified in inquiring why a town that has been paying its teachers lower salaries than those paid in a dozen or more communities in this vicinity of not dissimilar standards of living should need to spend so much more money on such incidentals of scholarship as school sundries. If the discrepancy is one due to bookkeeping one might suppose that there should be a law requiring uniformity of systems of accounting throughout the state. In the case of the town of Winthrop the expenditure charged against school sundries was higher than in Winchester, but the explanation was that certain unusual expenses for the repair and equipment of school buildings were classified under this head.

PARENT.

HOCKEY.

WINCHESTER DEFEATS ARLINGTON.

Winchester defeated Arlington in hockey on Mystic Lake Thursday afternoon in a close game by a great rally toward the end of the second half, by the score of 4 to 3. In the first half Arlington outplayed the Winchester team and scored two goals at the very beginning in quick succession, then Winchester bucked up a bit and the half ended with Arlington ahead 2-0. The second half opened with great speed by both teams, first the puck being at one end and then the other but Winchester could not seem to get a goal while Arlington scored another making them the favorites with three goals to Winchester's none. Soon after this last goal, Small, who had been playing a great game, dodged through the Arlington defense and shot Winchester's first goal. This started the home players to work all the harder and soon after that Tuck got one from a difficult angle which helped raise their hopes. At this period Arlington took a brace and the playing was all over the rink neither side being able to score for a long time, but after a hard scrimmage around the Arlington goal, Grant put the puck into the net which tied the score. Time was nearly up and an extra period was looked for but Tuck made another one of his deadly shots which got by Higgins and put Winchester in the lead. About one half minute later the whistle blew closing the greatest game played on Mystic lake this winter. Small played a great game carrying the puck, while Tuck excelled in the shooting. Higgins made some sensational stops for Arlington. The lineup:

WINCHESTER		ARLINGTON
Collins	f	Scannell
L Small	f	Chick
Grant	f	Kelley
Tuck	f	Hutchinson Murray
Batta	p	Buckley
Cameron	cp	Pierce
N. Small	g	Higgins

Score, Winchester High 4, Arlington High 3. Goals made by Grant, L Small, Tuck 2, Scannell 2, Hutchinson. Referee, Kinsley. Umpires, Fealey, Haselton. Timer, Marshall. Time, 20 minute halves.

WINCHESTER 64 — READING 14.

Winchester defeated Reading in a very one-sided game on the home floor Wednesday afternoon by the score of 64 to 14.

SECOND TEAM WINS AGAIN.

The High School 2nd team won another game when they defeated Reading 2nd by the score of 33-10.

Legal Notices.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abbie M. Crowe, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to Daniel M. Dacey, of Arlington in the County of Middlesex without requiring a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex on the second day of March, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Timothy C. Murphy, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John Lynch, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f12,19,26

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Anne D. B. Underwood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty fifth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f5,12,19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Isaac I. Deane, late of Winchester in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament and two codicils of said deceased have been presented to said Court for Probate, by Frank L. Washburn who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him without giving a surety on his official bond, or to some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f5,12,19

Mortgagee's Sale

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Hurd to Harlow H. Rogers, and Foster Rogers (and now owned as follows, viz., 2/3 by Foster Rogers, and 1/3 by Harlow H. Rogers, Trustee under Declaration of Trust recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 3403, Page 206), dated September 2, 1907, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3325, Page 495, will be sold at Public Auction upon the premises on

MONDAY, the first day of March, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon

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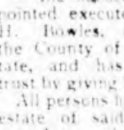

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61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
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North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.15 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

On Washington's Birthday at 2.30 p. m. a military whist tournament is to be held at the Calumet club. The whist will be participated in by both the ladies and gentlemen of the club, and will be followed by refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl K. Bacon sailed on Wednesday from New York on s. s. Lusitania for an eight weeks trip abroad. England, Scotland, Italy and Germany will be visited during their stay.

A slight fire in the double house No. 67 Church street called the fire department out on Friday evening. There was no damage.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. A. Thompson leave next Saturday for a trip to Washington, D. C., where they will witness the inauguration.

Mrs. Frank Flower of Washington street was able to be out on Saturday for the first time in ten weeks, she having [illegible] the house by sickness.

[illegible] has purchased [illegible] ant moore.

Miss Anna M. Holland, formerly of the Misses [illegible] Co's Boston, has opened Toilet Parlors at 371 Main street, Woburn. Manicuring, Chiropody, Hairdressing, Shampooing and Hair Dyeing a Specialty. Telephone Connection.

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Mrs. Lydia Blood has been confined to the house the past two weeks with acute bronchitis and is still quite ill.

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Aberjona Council, No. 1002, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "smoker" and entertainment in Harmony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 8 o'clock. Good time. Public cordially invited.

Boys keep that girl sweet; try her on Covel's candies.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Dr. Clarence E. Ordway has a new Franklin automobile.

Not far from Cabot street is a house inhabited only by the care taker, the owner having gone away for a short time. As the guardian of the premises was preparing for bed in his chamber on the second floor last Sunday night, he heard suspicious noises outside his door. Without hesitation he made his escape by the window. Although somewhat jarred by the descent he ran to a neighboring house, awoke the inmates and telephoned to the police. Upon the arrival of the officers it was found that the keys to the house were still in the chamber on the second floor, so a ladder was procured and one of the officers entered the window and he went down to the front door, opening it for his companions. The search for the yeggman commenced. He was found in the upstairs hall, and proved to be the family cat.

The Boston Herald says: "Already there are six candidates in the field, with a seventh, Samuel J. Elder of Winchester, mentioned, and the possibility of more to come when Congressman McCall actually accepts the college presidency. In regard to Mr. Elder, it may be said that he is not a candidate, despite the rumors connecting his name with the place, and that he at present has no intention of becoming one." But, then, the voters in the district may have something to say. Mr. Elder is too able a man not to be considered a candidate.

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Congressman Samuel W. McCall returned from Washington last Saturday and spent Sunday at the Touraine.

Mr. William J. Dunton, a Winchester boy, has become the successor of the well known florist, Marston B. Bunker of 8 City Hall avenue, Boston. The many Winchester friends of this young man will be pleased to learn of his rise in business life, and they can be assured of fair and generous treatment at the hands of Mr. Dunton in anything pertaining to flowers or plants.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Frank Pratt, who had been treated at a hospital in Boston for trouble to one of his feet, is now at home although not able to attend to business.

It is said that the special grade crossing commission will submit majority and minority reports. If this is so, it looks as if the whole matter would be again thrashed out, this time before the railroad commissioners.

It looks as if Mr. Samuel S. Symmes would be the next Tree Warden. It may be said of him that he abhors the moths, and that his hatred will lead to their extinction so far as it lies in his power.

Mayor Hibbard is to be the guest of Mr. William C. Newell Tuesday next and later in the evening will address the [illegible] Club, of which Mr. Newell is the President.

Mrs. Moses Forbush [illegible] [illegible].

Mr. William Kerrigan and Miss Norah Theresa O'Brien were married Wednesday evening at 7.30 at the parochial residence by Rev. Father Keleher. The bride who is well known in town was attired in an embroidered white lace gown with lace and satin trimmings and a wreath of flowers in her hair. The bridesmaid, Miss Mary Lonergan wore pink organdie. They both carried large bouquets of flowers. Mr. Daniel Kerrigan attended the groom. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Quinlin in Stoneham. The newly married couple will go to housekeeping on Westley street. They were handsomely remembered by their many friends with beautiful wedding gifts.

Rev. A. J. Smith D. D., will have charge of the noon meeting at Tremont Temple, Boston, Monday, Feb. 22nd.

The Board of Trade of Mansfield, Mass., has introduced a bill into the Legislature that railroads bear the entire expense of the abolition of grade crossings. It is rather surprising that these gentlemen are not acquainted with the fact that if this bill should become law, the travelling public and merchants would pay this expenses.

Although not finally decided, Woburn High will probably not be in the base ball league including Arlington, Winchester, Reading and Woburn. Arlington objects to having Woburn in the league, and unless Winchester and Reading decide against Arlington, the latter's objection will prevail.

We are selling the best Vermont creamery butter for 32 cents a pound. We have a choice creamery butter for 30 cents a pound. J. W. Rice & Co.

Miss Mary Cassidy will spend Sunday and the holiday with her parents in Tyngsboro, Mass.

Mrs. Benj. T. Morgan entertained the Tuesday Club at luncheon on that day this week.

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Mrs. Louis E. Wall's entertained her bridge club at luncheon on Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Downs entertained at bridge on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Main street. There were ten tables at the play and the honors were won by Mrs. Maurice Brown, Mrs. Clarence E. Ordway, Mrs. Frank L. Ripley and Mrs. J. Churchill Hindes. Miss Downs was assisted during the afternoon by Miss Pauline Blank.

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Dr. Clarence E. Ordway will read a paper on "Infections of Naso-Pharyngeal Mucus Membranes," before the Mass. Medical Society, East Middlesex District, next Wednesday, at Boston.

If Congressman McCall should decide to accept the presidency of Dartmouth College, what a rumpus there would be in the Eighth Middlesex Congressional District.

The office of Sewall E. Newman reports the sale of residence property No. 29 Oxford Street, recently completed by Mr. Geo. B. Whitehorne, to Mr. William P. Wyman who will occupy it at an early date as a residence. The property consists of a 9-room plaster house, and 11,000 feet of land.

Mr. Whitehorne has started the erection of a new cement house on Oxford street. This makes the third improvement he has made on that street.

Your Sunday dinner will be complete when you order Covel's ice cream.

Mr. F. P. Lewis gave two incidental half hour organ recitals recently. At Woburn Unitarian Church, between supper and dramatic, he played selections from Mendelssohn's organ and orchestral works. For the Wellesley Congregational Club's Lincoln Night, he played appropriate selections from Dudley Buck, who was one of his father's teachers.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Elizabeth Downs gave a bridge whist party at her home on Main street, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Alonzo M. Cutler of Highland Ave., will go to St. Louis in March to live on account of a business change.

Monday evening while Mr. Joshua Phippen was walking to his home up the Parkway, he was run into by a small boy who was coasting, and badly thrown. Mr. Phippen got to his home unassisted and Dr. Ordway found him badly bruised and lame but no bones broken. He was confined to the house several days. The small boy was very sorry and pleaded forgiveness at Mr. Phippen's door.

Mrs. [illegible] Cary of Mt. Vernon street is entertaining for several weeks Mrs. [illegible] of [illegible] Me., also Mr. Cary's [illegible] of [illegible].

A [illegible] Woburn and Winchester [illegible] Knights [illegible] Monday evening. [illegible] Thomas Harrison, pres; Owen [illegible] vice pres; Messrs. J. Meagher Jr., [illegible], Henry [illegible], treas; the above and James O'Connor, Henry Gleason, and Frank Davis, directors. The personnel of Winchester bowling teams, Night Hawks, Messrs. H. B. and C. Glendon, Lynch, Cody, O'Connor; Teddy Bears, Messrs. Noonan, Cosgrove, Hacey, Shea, O'Meara. The teams will bowl Mondays and Tuesdays.

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In commemoration of the centennial anniversary of the birth of the composer Mendelssohn, all of his organ music is being played in Woburn Unitarian Church by Mr. Lewis, who did this several years ago when on taking this position he gave a short recital at each service for three years without repeating any selection.

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The heavy storm of last week Wednesday flooded a portion of Oak street, the drain at that place being clogged up. The cellars of two houses were filled with water, which formed a good sized pond between Oak and Swanton streets. On Saturday the steamer was brought into use and pumped some 157,000 gallons from this pond. This relieved the pressure from the cellars of the houses so that the street department was able to remove the water with a hand pump in a little over a day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hinds returned Wednesday from a very enjoyable trip to Bermuda.

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THE KING'S BUSINESS.

The following letters are self-explanatory:

Frederic S. Osgood, Esq., chairman of Evangelistic Services:

Dear Sir,—The people of Winchester are very fortunate in securing the services of Rev. Arthur J. Smith, whose labors in Melrose close this evening, much to the regret of all classes in our community.

No series of meetings in fifty years has so deeply moved Melrose. We shall never be the same community again.

Rev. Dr. Smith is a consecrated Christian minister of rare gifts. He is cautious, courteous, tactful, patient, faithful, able, and a discriminating student and teacher of the word of God.

Surely the Kingdom of God has come nigh unto you. You have abundant reasons for thankfulness at the opportunity you now have. Use it "In His name."

Fraternally yours,
CHARLES COPELAND BARRY.
Boston, Feb. 17, 1909.

Mr. Frederic S. Osgood, Boston, Mass.,

Dear Mr. Osgood,—I am very glad to be able to say that the visit of Dr. Smith and Mr. Fenno to Melrose has been of marked advantage to our city.

I have for something over 20 years been a member of the Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A's of the State and have therefore been brought very close to every Evangelistic movement in this vicinity during these years, and had the honor of personal acquaintance with most of the Evangelists working hereabouts, and with this experience as a basis, I am glad to commend Dr. Smith to you in the most hearty manner, and without the slightest reservation.

He is peculiarly adapted to work with men, and his service at City Hall last Sunday evening was a revelation of what the power of God can do when it is rightly used by His servants.

Dr. Smith is extremely tactful in [illegible] [illegible] regarding the [illegible] message.

As for Mr. Fenno, we found that he was the right man in the right place. He has steadily grown in our opinion as a leader, soloist, or agist, and earnest worker, and together these gentlemen make a combination of consecrated talent hard to equal.

That God may greatly bless their work with you, is the earnest prayer of their hundreds of Melrose friends.

Sincerely yours,
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Boston, February 17, 1909.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

At the home of Mrs. Wallace N. Proctor on Calumet road on Monday afternoon from 4 till 6, a reception was held by Mrs. Proctor and Mrs. Howard G. Chapin. The affair was attended by about 200 guests who were received by the ladies during the afternoon. Mrs. Oren C. Sanborn, Mrs. Herbert Nickerson, Mrs. Marshall C. Bouve, Mrs. Charles Monroe and Mrs. C. S. Noyes of Brookline assisted at the tea and frappe tables. During the reception selections were given by Dr. J. Churchill Hindes and by an orchestra of stringed instruments.

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On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Henry A. Goddard gave a tea at her home on Wolcott road to about 100 ladies of this and nearby towns. The guest of honor was Mrs. Stanley Rand Miller of Lagrange street, who, with the hostess, assisted in receiving. The lower floor of the residence was decorated in red throughout the flowers used being dark red carnations. Assisting at the tea and frappe tables were Mrs. Clarence E. Hill and Mrs. Edward A. Tucker of this town and Mrs. Herbert Kimball of Woburn and Mrs. Richard G. Clark of Somerville. These ladies were assisted in serving by Miss Grace Derrick, Miss Elizabeth Downs Miss Bertha Russell and Miss Bertha Waldmyer. Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Wolff, well known in Philadelphia society.

The Shakespeare Club met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. James Dwinell, Main Street.

Mr. William N. Wyman has bought the new house at 29 Oxford St.

The Governor signed the Winchester Hospital bill yesterday.

Mrs. Edgar Young was in charge of a large whist at the Oxford, in Boston on Wednesday evening.

Miss A. Laura Tolman will give an evening party to a number of her musical friends at her home on Feb. 26. Signor Capellari, Ernst Perabo and the Schroeders are among the list of guests.

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Fletcher of [illegible] announce the engagement of their daughter Ina Woodbridge, to Robert Bacon of Winchester, Harvard '04.

Mrs. Norris of Boston will lecture on "New Thought" on Wednesdays at 3 p. m., in Waterfield Building, Church street entrance.

Winchester Council No. 210, Knights of Columbus held its annual dinner in Lyceum hall last evening. Remarks were made by Grand Knight Frank E. Rogers and Fr. Daniel J. Keleher and others.

Too bad, a careless writer in last week's STAR puts it on record that the first church in Winchester was "burned down" on Nov. 23, 1853, when in fact it was burned March 20, 1853. S.

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"THE KING'S BUSINESS"

FIVE GREAT UNION SERVICES IN WINCHESTER

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

9.00 a. m. Young People's Service. M. E. Church

Miss Edith Mason Waterman will speak

10 a. m. Union Service. Town Hall

Dr. Smith will speak

3 P. M. Men Only. Town Hall

Dr. Smith will speak

Prof. A. E. Brown and Beethoven Quartette will sing

3 P. M. Women Only. Congregational Church

Rev. Herbert S. Johnson of Boston will speak

Miss Alice Leith of Boston will sing

7 P. M. Closing Service. Town Hall

Dr. Smith will speak

REV. HERBERT S. JOHNSON

DR. ARTHUR J. SMITH

THE KING'S BUSINESS.

Most Successful Series of Religious Meetings Ever Held Here.

The most successful series of Religious meetings ever held in Winchester will come to a close Sunday evening with a final service in the Town Hall. Interest has been increasing from day to day, and the stimulous given to the good cause will be felt here for many years to come. Last Sunday evening the Town Hall was packed to its fullest capacity.

A large audience of young people with their friends listened to Dr. A. J. Smith, last Sunday afternoon at the Congregational Church. Solos were rendered by Miss Margaret Conrad, "whose inspiring voice has touched the heart in Tremont Temple," and the chorus of 100 voices was led by Harry C. Sanborn.

Dr. Smith took as a text Prov. 8:17,—"I love them that love me, and those that seek me early shall find me." He said that a great many people seem to have a wrong idea as to the time that they should begin the Christian life. Some think they should not begin until after they have sowed their wild oats; others think the best time is after a boy or girl has grown to manhood or womanhood. still others think they should wait until they are sick and are going to die. "These are all wrong," he said, "for God says," "They that seek me early shall find me," and also, "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." Dr. Smith gave three reasons why we should give ourselves to God, when we are young: First, it is the only time that we are sure of being able to do it. He says, "They that seek me early shall find me." There is no promise in the Bible for an old man or an old woman. Second, it is a great deal easier to do it now, for when we are young, our hearts are like the soft, moist clay, easily moulded, but as we grow older, the heart hardens like the clay after it has been baked. Third, we can have the rest of our lives to give to God instead of giving Him only the dregs when we are old. One hundred twenty-seven young people rose for prayers, signifying their desire to serve Christ.

In the evening, nearly 1100 of the townspeople attended the special service at the Town Hall. The chorus was led by Mr. Harry C. Sanborn, assisted by Miss Margaret Conrad, who sang several solos. Dr. Smith's text was taken from the one hundred and thirty-ninth Psalm, the twenty-third and twenty-fourth verses. "Search me, O God, and know my heart, try me and know my thoughts, and see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

Dr. Smith said: "This prayer was an honest prayer by an honest man, by a man who wanted to know the worst about himself. A worldling would not pray a prayer like this. A self-righteous man, a man satisfied with himself, would not pray a prayer like this. A hypocrite would not offer this prayer,—only a man who is willing to know the worst about himself would pray a prayer like this. "Search me, O God, and know my heart, try me and know my thoughts, and see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

Someone has said that there are four men in every man, the man the world knows, the man his friends know, the man he knows, and the man God knows. The psalmist wanted to find out which man God know, even if it were an unpleasant vision. "Search me, try me, and see me." That word "search," literally translated means investigate, lay bare, expose. We remember how the Armstrong Committee investigated the insurance companies recently. We know how one man died as a result of it, and how another man's reputation was ruined. The secrets were exposed. I wonder how we would like to have the secrets of our lives exposed and laid bare to the world? Here was a man that wanted his secret sins to be laid bare to Him. He wanted his secret sins to be exposed to Him, and he asked God to do it. I wonder if there are any here, who would dare to ask God to do that,—expose ourselves to others? He said, "Try me." Literally translated, that word means test to prove me. And then he says, "See! Look down into the very depth of my being and see if there be any wicked way in me, for I want above all things else to be right with thee, O my God!" I wonder how many men, how many women, how many people in this company tonight are willing to pray for that prayer? We are willing that God should search others, we are willing that God should search our neighbors and our friends, we are perfectly willing that He should search the insurance companies and great corporations, but how about ourselves as individuals? Are we honest tonight? If we are, we will pray that prayer. I wonder if we are sincere tonight? If we are, we will offer that prayer,—"Search me, know me, try me, and see if there is any wickedness in me. I want to know myself as thou dost know me." Is there any way by which we may know? There are three ways: First, we may know by the testimony of the word of God; second, we may know by the secret of our nearness to God, and third, we may know by prayer.

What does the Bible say about man and man's condition naturally? If you believe the Bible, turn with me to Genesis 6:5. "And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually." That is the natural condition of man. Every imagination is evil, and evil continually. Again turn to Jer. 17:9. "The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked." The heart of any man, the man that God knows, is deceitful and desperately wicked. These are unpleasant things to say. I am not saying them; God is speaking now. One more turn to Romans 1:28. "And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not conven-

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WEATHER FORECAST.

WINCHESTER SCHOOLS TAKE NOTICE.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

March 1st—Snow fall 13-100ths of an inch. Fierce zephyr from South-west. "No school" bell 7.30 A. M. Children under ten will slide on the cellar door until damp in the rear.—Stern reality.

March 3—High fog. Mostly hung up in trees skirting Abajona—Somewhat mixed with B. & M. smoke. "No school." Children under twelve will remain in-door, pull the cat's tail, "sic" the dog on the cook, get in the way, tease Ma and whine. Raining hard in Boston—very sloppy. Scholars twelve years of age and over will attend Keiths and do shopping on the side.

March 8th—Cloudy. Raw wind from Woburn way, threatening, scattering hail stones as large as high potency homeopathy. Curfew rings at 8 A. M. Scholars, except nature students, to follow programme for March 3rd. Nature students may try the ice on the shores of Mystic, big or little as suits their choice. Wading not permitted.

March 15, 18, 22—High winds. Bell may not ring—undecided.

March 29th—Bright and fair in morning, but indications are for light showers in the P. M. Teachers should keep in close touch with barometer.

W. H. S. NOTES.

The class of 1910 held a class meeting Thursday to talk over the Junior Reception to be given in April. It was voted that nobody should have any invitation unless their dues had been paid up. It was also voted that the President appoint a dance committee of four beside herself to attend to everything. The committee is as follows: Emma Farnsworth, Carlene Gleason, Elliot Barra, Walter Badger and George Nickey.

The basket ball team plays their last game of the season with Winthrop High School, the champions of the State, at Winthrop, Friday night. Winthrop won the first game by five points but since that time the home team has improved very much, and if the team is given good support it will help out immensely toward winning a victory. Everybody go if possible.

Perhaps you would like a framed picture? You can get one at Wilson the Stationer's.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

At the annual town meeting next Monday voters will have an opportunity to vote, on the ballot, yes or no on the question of accepting an Act of the Legislature concerning teachers' pensions. In the STAR of July 31, 1908, I discussed this subject, and the Act itself was printed in your issue of last week. As a considerable number of persons have told me that they are not sufficiently familiar with the merits of the question to vote intelligently on it, I am glad to take this occasion to explain it as briefly as possible.

Stated concisely, it is provided that towns and cities accepting this Act may pension teachers who fulfil two conditions: (1) twenty-five years of service in the town, and (2) having reached the age of sixty years, or being incapacitated for further useful service. The pension shall not exceed one-half the salary, and furthermore shall not exceed five hundred dollars.

The State Board of Education secured the passage of the Act and urges its adoption for such reasons as these: "It is well known that in every city and in many towns there is a small number of teachers who have served the community faithfully, but whose efficiency has become impaired by length of service or by failing health, and who have not been able to lay by sufficient money to justify their retirement from active service. Neither school officials nor the public are willing to force such retirement, but by their continuance in service the school work as a whole is weakened and children suffer."

This last point ought specially to be emphasized. Pensions will not only be helpful to teachers in a pecuniary way, but they will be vastly more beneficial to the school system, through permitting the school committee to retire one who is worn out in the service and is no longer capable of doing satisfactory work, and to replace her with a younger and more efficient teacher, to the great advantage of the forty children in the room.

Furthermore, a pension system will enable the school authorities to secure and to retain a higher grade of teachers than would be possible without it. Of the more than 350 communities in the State, only a small fraction will feel financially able to provide for pensions. Winchester can afford to do it; and the comparatively few places which can afford to establish pensions and do establish them will possess a decided advantage over those places that do not do so. Looked at from the strictly educational point of view, the argument, in my opinion, is all one way. A very important consideration, however, is the probable cost, and this I have investigated with a great deal of care.

Assuming (1) that every teacher now on the payroll should, without a single exception, continue in the service of the town for the next twenty years, and (2) that every one of them should be retired on the maximum pension permissible, the very moment he or she fulfilled the two conditions of reaching sixty years of age and twenty-five years of service in the town, then, in that case, the total amount paid for pensions during the next twenty years would, on the present basis of maximum salaries, be $20,062.50. But such an assumption, as anyone can see, is altogether too generous. It is not humanly possible that there should be no losses of teachers for two decades. I have, accordingly, carefully considered each individual case, taking into account the present ages (a matter of knowledge and not conjecture) of all teachers that could become eligible to a pension between now and 1930, together with such other factors as need to be reckoned with in estimating the cost, and have concluded that the total expense for pensions in the next twenty years might safely be put at about $10,000,—none payable for at least five years, a moderate amount for the next ten years, and a somewhat larger amount the last five years of the period. This, on the average, is about one per cent of the cost of supporting the schools. After 1930 the amount needed would, for several reasons, be somewhat larger, but never, in my opinion, exceeding two or two and half per cent. of the total expenditure for schools. To my mind the town cannot, in school matters, spend, for any purpose, to better advantage, during the next twenty years one one-hundredth, and after that one fiftieth to one-fortieth, of its school appropriation,

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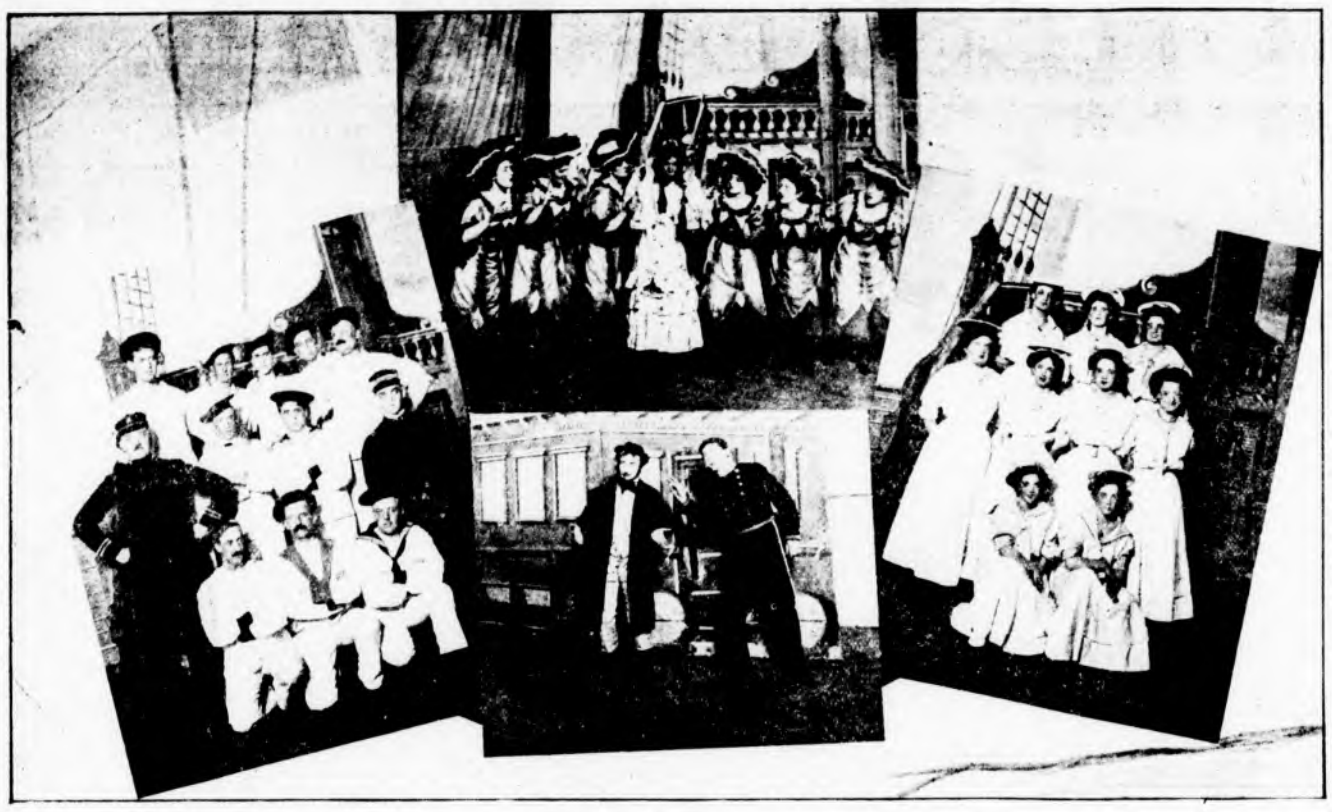

SCENES FROM "THE ISLE OF BAMBOO." *Leon Dadmun Photo.*

A GREAT SUCCESS.

Isle of Bamboo Makes Big Hit.

The largest audience of the winter greeted the performers of the Calumet Club in the town hall, on Saturday evening, when they presented the opera, Isle of Bamboo, giving a remarkably fine performance. In addition to the customary seating capacity of the hall, extra chairs were placed far back in the small hall and additional rows were located in front of the stage. The piece abounded in good music and graceful dances and humor. It was written by Dadmun and Ryder, and the production was staged and directed by Leon Dadmun, to whom a large share of the success of the evening was due.

The cast:

President of Calumet club, J. Churchill Hindes
Chief of Police, P. T. Bufford
Chief of fire department, H. Barton Nason
Postmaster, Fred M. Bates
Lieut. Wilde, U. S. N., Arthur W. Huguley
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Larry Devine [illegible] W. Russell Jr
Levi Savenski Fred N. Kerr
King of Bamboo George E. Willey
Mae Manning, Ruth Sleeper
Susie Jones, Margaret Hun
Cal-U-Met-A, Maude G. Flanders
Sarah, George B. Davis
Papinta, Charles S. Tenney
Katrinka, Wallace F. Flanders
Gheko, Charles E. Farnsworth
"American All Right Girl," Alice H. Campbell
Her friend, J. C. Hindes

The musical numbers were tuneful and catchy, and the costumes and dances of the several choruses of remarkably pretty girls lent a brilliant bit of color and grace to the performance sufficient to carry it off with a vim gratifying alike to the audience and artists.

The singing of Dr. Hindes and Mr. Willey was remarkably fine and most enthusiastically received by the audience, both gentlemen being eminently fitted for their roles. Miss Hunt and Mrs. Flanders were warmly received in songs well suited to their abilities, while Miss Sleeper and Mr. Huguley were heard to good advantage in two tuneful numbers which delighted the audience.

Messrs. Kerr and Russell, as the Jew and the Irishman, were the fun producers of the evening, not omitting Mr. Davis, who surprised his most intimate friends by his lifelike imitation of Sarah, an old maid. Their songs and capers called forth loud applause on every entrance and their parts were well taken, Mr. Kerr proving an especial favorite. Mr. Kinsley made an ideal "Bos'n", and he certainly missed his intended vocation by not following the sea.

Two others who contributed to the musical numbers of the program were Messrs. Badger and Snelling and both did excellent work and were heartily encored.

One of the principal hits of the evening was the "American All Right Girl," a sketch given by Dr. Hindes and Mrs. Campbell. Both took their parts well, and the specialty was carried through with a vim which demanded their reappearance repeatedly.

Topical songs were introduced by both Mr. Kerr and Mr. Willey to the great amusement of the audience, town and Calumet gossip being impartially put to thyme, somewhat to the embarrassment of some of the hearers.

The dancing by the young ladies who formed the several choruses was a feature which put a finish on the production to the enjoyment of all, and the marching by the entire cast of over 60 persons was nicely done and called for considerable comment and applause. The show was a success from start to finish.

On Saturday afternoon a matinee was given, which included the dress rehearsal, before a large house, although the effect was not equal to the evening performance, owing to the daylight entering the hall. Following were the choruses:

Old fashioned hammock and Indian girls—Esther L. C. Omstead, Alice L. Lincoln, Patience C. Hindes, Marion D. Wilson, Maie M. Rogers, Maude G. Flanders.

Tourist girls—Elsie Hurd, Lillian C. Towne, Gladys M. Burt, Louise Taylor, Louise Wulkop, Marguerite E. Barr.

Tourist men—P. T. Bufford, Ralph W. Hazelton, Fred M. Bates, W. D. Rogers, H. Barton Nason, D. N. Skillings, Jr.

Sailors—Arthur T. Downer, R. P. Lane, A. A. Hazelton, Courtney Gendron, Harold Farnsworth, Fred C. Alexander, H. D. Campbell, Charles E. Farnsworth, George Purrington, W. H. Dotten, Sidney F. Hooper, Robert E. Fay, Wilbur Kinsley, Newell Purrington.

Yachting and oriental girls—Marion Hazelton, A. Marguerite Downer, Annette Symmes, Pauline Blank, Alice M. Whitney, Evelyn Ayer, Marcia Hazelton, Jewell Hooper, Leslie Taylor.

Warriors—Wilbur Kinsley, Newell Purrington, Courtney Gendron, Harold Farnsworth, George Purrington, W. H. Dotten.

Lettercarriers—Arthur T. Downer, A. A. Hazelton, Fred C. Alexander, H. D. Campbell, Sidney F. Hooper, Robert A. Fay.

Firemen—Esther L. C. Olmsted, Alice L. Lincoln, Patience C. Hindes, Marion D. Wilson, Maie M. Rogers, Maude G. Flanders.

Policemen—Elsie Hurd, Lillian C. Towne, Gladys W. Burt, Louise Taylor, Louise Wulkop, Marguerite E. Barr.

Cadets—Esther L. C. Olmsted, Alice L. Lincoln, Elsie Hurd, Lillian C. Towne, P. T. Buffood, Ralph W. Hazelton, Arthur T. Downer, R. P. Lane, Patience C. Hindes, Marion D. Wilson, Gladys W. Burt, Louise Taylor, Fred M. Bates, W. D. Rogers, Fred C. Alexander, H. D. Campbell, Maie M. Rogers, Maude G. Flanders, Louise Wulkop, Marguerite E. Barr, H. Barton Nason, D. N. Skillings Jr., Sidney F. Hooper, Robert E. Fay.

The show committee consisted of Wallace F. Flanders chairman, Charles C. Rogers, treas., Edgar M. Young sec., Dr. J. Churchill Hindes, Dr. H. J. Olmsted, D. W. Comins, Daniel B. Badger, James H. Dwinell, John A. Caldwell, Charles S. Tenney, George E. Willey, Jere A. Downs and Charles A. Gleason, Charles A. Lane.

The program committee was Wallace F. Flanders chairman, John A. Caldwell, Frederick B. Reynolds, Arthur T. Downer, Fred Clark, Charles E. Kinsley, William I. Palmer, Albert A. Sargent, Charles S. Tenney and Sewall E. Newman.

The special committee in charge of rehearsals and production of show was Dr. J. Churchill Hindes and George B. Willey.

SCENE FROM "THE ISLE OF BAMBOO." *Dadmun Photo.*

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Notwithstanding the other attractions in town during the day of Monday, 22nd, sufficient interest was felt in the Fortnightly's evening entertainment, to insure a large attendance.

The Bostonia orchestra gave some enjoyable music before the raising of the curtain. The Lotus Male Quartette then took possession of the field. Their cultivated voices and charming songs were fully appreciated by the audience, if one might judge by the enthusiastic applause which must have put many a pair of good kid gloves out of commission. Frequent were the demands for encores after both solos and quartettes, and these were generously granted.

The accompanist, Miss Ethel Wentworth, deserves creditable mention for her part of the performance.

A very clever skit written by Mrs. Wegia H. H. Tracy, one of the Fortnightly's bright, particular stars, furnished much amusement. The various parts were excellently taken by Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Bunting, Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Cole and the Misses Bunting, Hazelton, Whittaker, Clay, Hawes and Enman.

The opening scene shows a room in Mrs. Wheeler's home, "Mrs. Wheeler in the chair," so to speak, though not so in a parliamentary sense. She is tired and discouraged by her many cares and perplexities—domestic as well as those of a very busy club president. The last straw is the arrival of a letter from Judge Lindsay, stating that he has been obliged to cancel all his engagements in the east. Exhausted, she falls asleep. Mrs. Wheeler was, as usual, charming and graceful. In her dream she is carried a score of years into the future.

The other characters appear in this new era. Winchester is represented as, under the management of women, who have made amazing and innumerable improvements. They hold all the town offices except two—reserved for the men—viewers of fences, and overseers of cemeteries. Many witty allusions to the old grade crossing and gates, the tardy mail service, insufficient railway accommodations, unsightly buildings, etc., were fully appreciated by the audience. One of the characters is made to say that her aunt has told her that the expenses of the Public Library, in former times, were met by the receipts from dog taxes.

The Fortnightly has envolved into an ideal club, with its much discussed clubhouse a reality. It still has Gentlemen's Nights, when it caters to the tastes of the men by light and frivolous entertainments.

In the general evolution, the male sex must have acquired an unusual amount of submission, as no mention is made of their clamoring for equal rights with the women.

An informal reception of dancing followed. The dainty refreshments were furnished by the Page Catering Co. of Lowell, whose arrangement of the table was most artistic, and appropriate for the day.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister, Parsonage, 400 Main street.

Sunday—Today we meet in Union services with the Baptist and Methodist Churches at the Town Hall. Dr. Arthur J. Smith will preach at all the services.

9 a. m. A meeting for all the young people at the Methodist Church.

10 a. m. A meeting for worship for everybody at the Town Hall. The singers of the different Churches will unite.

3 p. m. Mass meeting for men only in the Town Hall. Special music—Beethoven Quartette of Boston: Soloist, Prof. A. E. Brown.

3 p. m. Mass meeting for women only in the Congregational Church. Rev. Herbert Johnson of the Warren Avenue Baptist Church will speak, and there will be special music.

7.00 p. m. Closing meeting of the campaign for everybody in the Town Hall. Miss Leith, who sang so persuasively at the first service, will sing, Come, invite your friends. This will be Dr. Smith's last service with us.

Sunday 12.00 m. The Sunday School will meet in the usual place at the Church. Lesson—"The Gospel in Samaria" Acts 8:4-25.

Wednesday, 4.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet at the vestry. The class will please learn through lesson five. Every member be present.

7.45 p. m. Bimonthly Church meeting and service preparatory for the March Communion. Lecture by the pastor.

Thursday, 10 a. m. Monthly meeting of the Ladies' Western Missionary Society at the vestry. Luncheon at 12:30 o'clock. Business meeting at 3 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Christ Jesus."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Reading room in same building, open from 3 to 5 daily. All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. The pastor begins a series of discourses on the present-day aspects of religion. Subject for the morning, "The Infinite God."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. Parker B. Field, Superintendent of the Children's Mission in Boston.

7.00 p. m. The annual series of Vesper Services will begin, with an Organ Recital, to be given by Mr. Joshua Phippen, organist, and Mr. Richard Gerwonky, violinist. See program in another column.

Tuesday, Mr. Lawrence will be at the Ladies' Parlor, all the afternoon and evening, to meet any who will call. Children and young people especially welcome in the afternoon.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor. Mrs. Richard Taylor will sing.

12.15 p. m. Bible School and meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.15 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

6.15-6.40 p. m. Brief prayer service.

Tuesday, meeting of Bethany Sewing Society.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Preparatory service, led by the Pastor.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 1130 Church street.

First Sunday in Lent.

10.30 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

9.00 a. m. Union Young People's Service in the Methodist Church. Miss Edith M. Waterman of Malden speaker.

10.00 a. m. Union Service in the Town Hall. Dr. Smith will preach.

12.00 m. Sunday School in church vestry.

3.00 p. m. Men's Meeting in Town Hall. Dr. Smith.

3.00 p. m. Women's meeting in Congregational Church. Dr. Herbert F. Johnson of Boston speaker.

7.00 p. m. Union service in Town Hall. Dr. Smith will hold the final service. Let all help to make this a fitting climax of a grand work.

Monday, 7.45 p. m. Cabinet meeting of League in the vestry.

Tuesday, 7.45 p. m. Official Board meeting in the vestry.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise. Let all come to this meeting.

Thursday, 3 p. m. Woman's Home Missionary meeting at the Parsonage.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting in the following homes: Herbert Cook, 10 Ogden avenue; Mrs. Bulmer, 131 Washington street; Mrs. Dunning, 18 Vine street; Miss Grace Snow, 39 Forest street; Mrs. Sanborn, 100 Highland avenue; Mrs. Hayes, Park road.

WILL OF TIMOTHY C. MURPHY.

The will of Timothy C. Murphy, who died at Winchester on Feb. 2, last, has been filed for probate, at East Cambridge.

The testator leaves to his daughter, Bridget Hevey of Winchester $500, to his grandchildren, William Hevey, Anna Hevey, and Madaline Hevey all of Winchester, $500 each is left; to a grandson, Michael E. Hevey of Winchester, house and land at 28 Cedar street, Winchester, and $500 to a granddaughter, Etta T. Hevey of Winchester, land and houses, 32 and 34 Cedar street, Winchester, also money deposited in Winchester Savings Bank. All the rest of the estate is left to Etta T. Hevey, a granddaughter.

John Lynch of Winchester a friend of the testator is named as executor.

The will is dated June 14, 1905 and disposes of an estate valued at $3000 in real and $9,034.73 in personal property.

CALUMET CLUB WHIST FEB. 22ND.

On the afternoon of Feb. 22nd, a military whist party was held at the Calumet Club, attended by over ninety ladies and gentlemen. The winners of the prizes were Mrs. Badger, Mrs. Lombard, Mrs. Tarbell, Mrs. Herrick, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Abbott, Mr. Richardson, Mr. Abbott, Miss Sargent, Miss Herrick, Mr. Metcalf and Mr. Lane. Following the cards a collation was served.

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UP TO DATE STREET LIGHTING

All but six of the thirty-two cities and towns which light their streets with electricity from the Edison Company's service are now using the new improved Tungsten street lamps. Several of the six towns (probably all) will adopt the Tungsten light as soon as arrangements can be made for changing over old contracts. These changes the Edison company is always willing to make. The Edison's attitude in this matter of supplying towns with the latest street lighting improvements, and affording them the best possible rates for service, is best demonstrated in the case of one of the towns where a contract for street lighting was entered into four years ago, the contract to cover a period of five years. The Edison company has voluntarily reduced the rates for street lighting in that town twice in the four years that the contract has run. Such advance steps naturally win the hearty commendation and cooperation not only of the town officers, who have reason to be proud of their official foresight, but the inhabitants who will welcome increased illumination.

Tungsten lamps mean everywhere an increase of 40 to 60 per cent in the amount of light secured, and also reduces the cost in some cases nearly one-half. In every case the cities and towns that have adopted Tungsten lamps have declined to take advantage of this economy by cutting down their appropriations. They have much preferred to increase the amount of light and the hours of burning. Until recent years there has been a tendency to forget the welfare of the worthy citizens whose duties call them out late at night or early in the morning. The police, physicians, ministers, milkmen and produce dealers have had to stumble through dark streets as best they could, because the average person has thought because he is usually in bed before midnight that the minority could get along in the best way possible. That forgetfulness is passing to a degree, and in many towns provision is made for the special lighting of the streets in the early morning for the convenience of the milkmen and produce dealers.

A great element of safety comes to the householder and the business man by keeping the streets lighted after midnight. Those late hours are the time when the most burglaries and other crimes are perpetrated. The criminal dreads the light. It is additionally important to afford ample facilities for his capture, and one of these is bright streets. The Edison company has not been backward in substituting these lamps for the old-fashioned types, in fact, has brought them to the attention of city and town officials in every case. An offer gladly accepted.

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A MUSICAL SERVICE.

A Musical Service will be held in the Unitarian Church next Sunday evening at seven o'clock, to which all lovers of music are cordially invited. The Organist will be Mr. Joshua Phippen and the Violinist will be Mr. Richard Czerwonky. In view of this centennial of Mendelssohn, Feb. 3rd and that of Chopin, March 1st, the music will be taken chiefly from the works of these composers. The only exception will be the Chaconne of Bach, which will be played by Czerwonky unaccompanied, and which was a favorite with Mendelssohn.

The Order of Service will be as follows:

Organ—Chopin Two Preludes, Op. 28, Nos. 20 and 21

Invocation.

Organ—Chopin Berceuse, Op. 57.
Two Nocturnes, Op. 15, No. 2, and Op. 37, No. 1.

Violin—Bach—Chaconne for violin.

Scripture selections.

Organ—Mendelssohn Prelude 1, Op. 37.
Grava from Sonata 2.
Allegretto from Sonata 4.
Choral and Andante con Moto, from Sonata 5.
Recit. and Allegro Assai Vivace, from Sonata 1.

Selections from Mendelssohn's Letters.

Organ and Violin—Mendelssohn Andante from Violin Concerto.

Organ Mendelssohn Nocturne from Midsummer Night's Dream.

Benediction.

This Musical Service introduces a series of Vespers to be held in this Church on successive Sunday evenings at seven o'clock.

On March 7, the preacher will be the Reverend Roderick Stebbins, of Milton. The Church Choir augmented, will sing Gounod's "Gallia," and Percival B. Metcalf's Anthem, "Praise Jehovah."

On March 14, the preacher will be the Reverend Edward Hale of Chestnut Hill. The Choir will be assisted by Miss A. Laura Tolman, Violincellist.

On March 21, the preacher will be the Reverend William H. Lyon, D. D., of Brookline. The choir will be assisted by Miss Mary G. Kellogg, Violinist.

On March 28, the preacher will be the Reverend Edward Cummings, of the South Congregational Church, Boston. The Choir will be assisted by the Park Male Quartette.

On April 4, an Organ Recital will be given, under the direction of Mr. Joshua Phippen.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

It is interesting to note in the recent revival in Boston, how often the note of temperance reform has been struck. The weakness of palliative measures becomes more and more apparent, when considered in the light of strong conviction. Not a few times during the meeting was the truth struck home by a concrete example of the effects of drink, an example that should not be lost on those who think and let it alone, the great army of moderate drinkers.

The Masons and Shriners of Cincinnati have decided to discontinue the use of alcoholic drinks at their banquets and will serve unfermented grape juice instead. This action marks a distinct step in advance.

The town of Berkley, Cal., has recently adopted a new charter, with no license as a strong feature. The example of Cambridge as a university town is far reaching, although the west as a rule is not a whit behind the east in temperance and other reforms.

The W. C. T. U. through its press department, is agitating the discontinuance of the comic supplements to the Sunday papers. The comic supplements must go.

If you own rentable property, save the time and annoyance of collecting rents by turning it over to Geo. Adams Woods.

SCHOOL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

On last Friday evening the School Committee held its last regular meeting of the year, approving such bills as were received at that date and transacting usual routine business.

Announcement was made at the meeting that principal Lovering of the High School is planning to hold parents' days at that school during the coming month. Parents' days have been customary in other grades in the town schools, and it is thought that it would be pleasing to many parents to institute the custom in the High School.

Five scarlet fever cases were reported for the month—2 in the Wyman, and 1 each in the Gifford, High and Wadleigh. The last case in the Wyman school was reported Feb. 7th, so it is to be inferred that the danger of the epidemic has passed there. The cases at the Wadleigh and High Schools were reported on Saturday last, the two scholars being Lillian and Edward Winn. As the former had been out of school for some time previous, it was not necessary to fumigate the High School; the Wadleigh school was fumigated on Sunday.

Permission has been granted to Mr. A. J. Alden of Stoneham, as in previous years, to take photographs of the classes in the various schools.

The following table of finances for the year and month was presented:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT—FEBRUARY 1909

Salaries	Bills for Month	Prev. Expended	Total
Teachers	$3960 91	$30960 87	$34951 78
Sch. Phys.	20	160	180
Jan. Serv. (Tru. Of.)	379 17	3775	4154 17
Jan. supplies	14 65	204 67	219 32
Books	249 79	1219 44	1469 23
Supplies	150 99	1806 77	1957 76
Heating	891 19	2714 69	3605 88
Repairs	678 90	2027 31	2706 21
Trans'n	63	510	573
Furniture	82 50	190 68	273 18
Grad. Ex.		229 51	229 51
Lighting	17 48	78 02	95 50
Postage	2	58 78	60 78
Printing	42 01	64 05	106 06
Telephones	23 04	95 79	118 83
Truant School		21	21
Med. Insp. Inc.	6	21	27
Incidentals	38 67	268 91	307 58
	$6650 30	$44406 49	$51056 79

Bill for month except salaries $2260 22

Appropriation	$55000 00
Incidental receipt	776 63
(1907-08 balance	330 69)
Balance Feb. 28, '06	4719 84

Bills due for the fiscal year March 1908 to February 1909 not included in financial statement for February 19, 1909.

Lighting February	
Gas—estimated	$ 1 50
Electricity—estimated	12
Fuel	
Electricity—estimated	30
Coal—20 tons	111 00
Transportation	57
* Repairs and Incidentals	
Salaries	
Teachers	3915 09
School physician	20
Custodian School Bldgs	319 16
	$4515 75
Available bal., Feb. 19, '09	204 09
Gross balance, Feb. 19, '09	4719 84

* Mystic toilet Wadleigh fumigation. Required after statement was typewritten.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Service this Friday afternoon at the church at 5 o'clock.

The mid-week preacher next week will be the Rev. S. S. Drury of St. Stephen's, Boston. The service will be Thursday evening March 4, at 8 o'clock. In addition to the mid-week preaching services there is to be a service every Friday afternoon at 5, at which the volunteer choir sings.

The Woman's Guild will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour at Mrs. Johnson's 180 Highland avenue.

The rector will be at All Saints Mission, Stoneham, Sunday morning for the service of Holy Communion at 9 a. m.

MAGDA.

On Thursday, Feb. 17th Mr. Brown met the usual audience of interested women in the study of Sudermann's "Magda—the German Heimwat." In the original, he began saying, that the play was not the great bas-relief of Magda which the English version gives, emphasizing the character of Magda at the expense of all others, it is a truly realistic picture of German provincial family life, with the autocratic father, the meek mother, the obedient younger daughter, the successful and prosperous village dignitary; against this background of virtue and mediocrity stands the solitary figure of the prodigal daughter, passionate, gifted and rebellious, fretting against the restraint of home and parents like a bird in a cage, until at last she leaves this behind and becomes a wanderer to return years later the idol of a great public, a singer of world wide fame. The picture of her reception, tempered with the fear of an unknown past, the effort for her to become an exemplary village matron, when she agrees to give up the art she loves for the sake of honor and to appease her father is powerfully painted, but when she spurns the life offered her it her little child must be abandoned we feel how much Magda has learned from life, how greatly she has grown from the self-willed girl of twelve years before.

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Mr. Brown announced that on account of the fact that both "Lonely Lives" and "Honor" are out of print, Hauptman's "Sunken Bell" would be given at the next lecture, and Stephen Phillips' "Herod" and George Cabot Lodge's "Herakles" would be substituted for the 9th and 10th lectures.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

The following officers of Woburn Royal Arch Chapter were installed at Masonic Hall, Woburn, Wednesday evening: M. E. High Priest, Walter A. Hanson; E. King, Benjamin T. Morgan; E. Scribe, Benjamin Lewis; Treasurer Frederic A. Flint; Secretary, John M. Wallace; Chaplain, Charles A. Sweetser; Captain of the Host, William T. Carswell; Principal Sojourner, George F. Arnold; Royal Arch Captain, George A. Ambler; Master of Third Veil, Edwin S. Parker; Master of Second Veil, Harrie B. Blye; Master of First Veil, C. Alonzo Pierce; Senior Steward, George R. Menchin, Junior Steward, Arthur F. Heald; Sentinel, A. V. Haynes; Tyler, Frank G. Richardson; Organist, William B. Sache; Grand High Priest, Baalis Sanford; D. D. Grand High Priest, George O. Sheldon.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

February 23rd, 1909.

Board met at 7.30. All present.

Voted to grant permission to Norman Locke of 13 Elm street, to carry a loaded pistol or revolver to May 1st, 1909.

Received from Clerk of Committee of Medford, notice or hearing in regard to terminus of Boston & Northern road, at 101 Milk street, Thursday, Feb. 25, at 2.30 p. m.

Received letter from J. H. Stockwell of Forest street in regard to article for the warrant for the annual Town Meeting. Placed on file.

Voted to recommend that the town accept and allow a certain street as and for a town way as laid out by the Selectmen, said street beginning at Pine street and running in a northerly direction to Wedge Pond.

Voted to appoint John G. Hovey clerk pro tem for the Town of Winchester to perform the duties required of the clerk at the annual Town Meeting according to the provisions of Sec. 213, of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907.

Voted to appoint the following persons for officers at the election March 1 next: Ballot clerks, Edwin Robinson, Robt. H. Sullivan; Tellers, T. Price Wilson, Wm. Adriance, Sewell Newman, John F. O'Connor, Wm. H. Vayo, Chas. F. McCarthy, John H. Carter, Wm. F. Fitch.

Warrants drawn for $2897.52 and $1989.

Adjourned at 10.15 p. m.

G. H. LOCHMAN, Clerk.

WHO WAS CHARLES A. TAYLOR?

To the Editor of the Transcript:

On the 17th of April, 1861, while the Old Sixth Massachusetts Regiment was bivouacked at Boylston Hall, a young man named Charles A. Taylor enlisted in Company B, Captain Hart's company of Lowell. He was killed in the riot at Baltimore on the 19th. Not being uniformed, his body was not returned to Massachusetts with those of Needham, Ladd and Whitney, but buried in Baltimore in an unknown, unmarked grave. A monument was erected to the memory of Ladd and Whitney in Lowell, and no recognition of Taylor has ever been made. It is now proposed by his old comrades to add an appropriate tablet to the monument. Knowledge with regard to Taylor is very meagre, and it is very desirable at this time that we should know something of him, and my appeal through your columns is made to anyone who may have any knowledge, no matter how little it may be, to communicate it to me at once.

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Teachers' Pensions.

The question of pensions for public school teachers is referred to the voters on the ballot at the town meeting next Monday. This is an important subject, and attention is called to the explanation of it in another part of this week's STAR.

FISHING IN THE RESERVOIRS.

Winchester, Mass.,
February 23, 1909.

To the Editor of the Winchester Star,
Dear Sir:

In view of Article Sixteenth in the warrant for the coming town meeting, Mr. Whitney's communication regarding fishing in the town reservoirs which appeared in your issue last Friday has come at a most opportune moment. I would be much gratified if you would allow me the use of your columns in an endeavor to explain what considerations have, in my opinion, caused the conditions which Mr. Whitney now deplores and which all good citizens should deplore. The Board of Health disclaims all responsibility for these conditions and the Water Board may justly do the same. Mr. Whitney himself, innocently enough without doubt, is in my opinion the cause of all the trouble, for I am informed that he was sponsor for the vote which was passed at the town meeting last March and which has disturbed the very satisfactory status quo. That vote authorized the inhabitants of Winchester to fish in the reservoirs under regulations to be promulgated by the Board of Health and approved by the Water Board and the Massachusetts Fish and Game Commission on a majority of the three boards. As has already been stated in your columns, the Board of Health declined to make regulations upon learning that the Metropolitan Park Commission, which has police jurisdiction over the reservoirs, would refuse to enforce them on the ground that it had neither the duty nor the authority to do so. This, though sufficient, was not the only reason for the action of the Board, as will hereafter appear, though for reasons which seemed good at the time it was the only one publicly stated.

I believe that the Town of Winchester, by virtue of the statutory power given towns to regulate the use of their reservoirs, has the right to make by-laws permitting or prohibiting fishing in its reservoirs, but I have grave doubts if it has the authority to delegate this power to the Board of Health or any other boards, or if it has the right to discriminate in favor of its inhabitants against those of other municipalities as this vote purported to do. Prior to the passage of the vote there seems to have been an impression that fishing was forbidden by some constituted authority. That Mr. Whitney shared this belief appears from his communication and from his having offered the vote to permit restricted fishing a year ago. This impression was probably erroneous, and the right to fish was as free and untrammeled before the vote as it appears to have been since. The passage of the vote was, therefore, most unfortunate; for as the delegation of power to grant permits to the three Boards was invalid, the vote either authorized unrestricted fishing, or else was invalid in toto, in which case fishing was not prohibited.

Since fishing in reservoirs and water supplies is not prohibited by general law, since the Water Board has no statutory right to prohibit fishing, and since the jurisdiction of the local Board of Health over a water supply is confined to the regulation of nuisances within the limits of the town, whereas all but a few square feet of the middle, about one-half of the north and the whole of the south reservoir are not in Winchester at all, there is at present no statute, by-law or regulation under which fishing in the reservoirs can be prevented.

The Board of Health hoped, vainly it seems, that upon its refusal to grant permits, the vote would operate as an implied prohibition, and that people would not fish if they could obtain no permits. Unfortunately this consummation did not obtain. People have fished well knowing, it appears, that there is no law to stop it. It can hardly be expected that these same people would not have fished without permits if the Board of Health had assumed the illegal authority to grant them. The Board of Health and the Water Board, therefore, with the best will in the world find themselves powerless to prevent fishing. Persons cannot be prosecuted for fishing because fishing is not prohibited; they cannot be prosecuted for fishing without a permit because the delegation of power to grant permits is invalid, and no penalty for fishing without a permit is provided.

Upon this state of facts and with the unfortunate condition of affairs existing at the reservoirs, which Mr. Whitney and the gentlemen who is "Not a Pot Fisherman" refer to in their communications in your last issue, the Water Board proposes to offer for adoption by the town at the coming annual meeting under the article above referred to, by-laws which it is hoped will be adequate prevention of further pollution of the town water supply.

I need only add my earnest hope that Mr. Whitney and all other voters will give the Water Board their cordial support in securing the passage of these very necessary by-laws.

FREDERICK MANLEY IVES.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

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than by devoting this amount to the pensioning of teachers.

Mr. Metcalf allows me to print the accompanying letter which he recently wrote to me on this subject.

CHARLES F. A. CURRIER.
Winchester, February 22, 1909.

Winchester, Mass, Feb. 18, 1909.
My Dear Mr. Currier:

I learn that you are interested in securing for the teachers of the Winchester public schools a moderate pension to be paid to them upon retirement from service after having taught a prescribed period of time in the town, say twenty-five or thirty years.

I am glad that you have this interest, for I feel sure that in a town like ours, where large salaries are impossible, and consequently savings are small, a pension will be a great benefit to the schools as well as an act of justice to the teachers. Very few of our teachers are able now to save anything from the salaries paid them. After careful inquiry of the teachers themselves, I am convinced that the percentage of teachers who save a hundred dollars per year is very small. Most of them are in duty bound to assist in the support of some member or members of their families, and save nothing.

After reaching the age of sixty years, a bank account of even two thousand dollars would yield scant support to a teacher who is obliged to ask relief from service in the schools. Few female teachers reach the age of sixty with sufficient bodily vigor to perform satisfactorily their duties to a class of children; and if unable to perform their school duties, to what can they turn for support in their declining years?

Without some system of pensions, members of our school committee will hestitate long before requesting the resignation of an old but faithful teacher who has given twenty-five or thirty years of her life to the care of children in the schools. But the good of the schools demands the retirement of teachers when ill health and loss of vigor prevent the giving of satisfactory service to their school duties.

When we count the question of expense, it will be found very small. Few teachers remain with us for twenty-five years, and the few who do will not be pensioners beyond a few years. I believe there are few taxpayers living in Winchester who would contribute grudgingly to the support, in their old age, of the teachers who have worn themselves out in the service of our children.

I sincerely hope you will bring this matter before the town, and will urge the adoption of some pension system, (1) because teachers who have served in the schools for a long term of years have practically given all of their best years to our children, and (2) because a system of pensions that would enable a teacher, in declining health, to retire from the service, would be of great benefit to the schools.

Sincerely yours,
R. C. METCALF.

THE JEW, HIS PLACE IN HISTORY

At the residence of Mr. John K. Murdock, Wednesday morning, the members of the Bible Literature Class and others to the number of fifty listened to an address by Rabbi Charles Fleischer, of Temple Adath Israel, Boston, on "The Jew, His Place in History and in the Present."

Beginning with the statement in Genesis, back of which no scientist has yet gone, "In the beginning, God," he outlined the development of the monotheistic idea which made of the children of Abraham a peculiar people, who in time came to believe themselves chosen of God. Just when they arrived at this consciousness of themselves as set apart to do great things is not known, but it fostered a sublime self conceit that has sustained them during many evil days and has helped maintain their racial integrity. This strong sense of race individuality and their equally well marked individualism are among the characteristics emphasized by the speaker and give the clue to their attitude toward Jesus Christ. As sketched by the Rabbi, the behavior of the Jewish people and of Judas Iscariot seems natural, even inevitable. They look for a Messiah who should have temporal power; and such they still expect, the anointed one of the House of David, who shall restore their Kingdom.

A few points made by the speaker were: The Jews never thought the prophets could foretell events in the far future, except in a general way, hence their lack of belief in Christ as the fulfilment of prophecy. The Jewish Bible is the Old Testament in the original, but the New Testament was also written by Jews. They regard the Bible as literature, not as exact history, and do not seek to reconcile the various parts. The common conception of the Jewish God as one of Vengeance is wrong; He is also "long-suffering," "of great mercy," a "Shepherd." The long course of persecution they have endured has helped to preserve their solidarity but has also kept alive misunderstanding concerning them. Their position today is not far from that of advanced Unitarianism. The progressive Jews occupy much the same relation to the Orthodox, as Unitarians do to Orthodox Christians.

Taken as a whole the address was wonderfully illuminating and an intellectual treat for all present.

H. DOUGLAS CAMPBELL FOR SELECTMAN.

Mr. H. Douglas Campbell has taken out a nomination paper for Selectman which has been signed by the following gentlemen:

Franklin L. Hunt
Julius C. Folts
Charles T. Guething
Harry E. Stephenson
George H. Bean
George A. Whittington
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Walter E. Chamberlain
Howard D. Nash
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Charles A. Hubbard
Louis W. Barta
Leslie D. Pushee
Benjamin T. Thompson
Frank S. Pratt
George E. Willey
Howard H. P. Wright
Samuel S. Symmes
Charles A. Lane
J. C. Hindes

Many voters have informed Mr. Campbell that they will support him at the polls.

Mr. Campbell was born in Toledo, Ohio, in 1870, but has been a resident of Massachusetts over 20 years. Moved to Winchester 3 years ago, first living at Symmes Corner, then moving to present residence, which he recently purchased.

He has practiced law in Boston since 1895, and has been attached to the Attorney General's Office of the Commonwealth since 1905 as special assistant in collection of State claims against the government.

OBSERVATIONS.

Well, what has the Ap. Com. to say about school no dentals? It had both the Auditor's report and the School Committee's report before it. Perhaps it considers it has not authority to criticize expenditures, then again it may have thought they were allright. Which was it?

I find nothing in the act authorizing the town to supply its inhabitants with water about fishing. All water boards are opposed to it and it would seem the part of common sense to cut it out, as the talk in connection with it does the town no good.

How would it do to have a floor committee at town meetings to offset the dominance of the Ap. Com., which worries some citizens? Its duties might be to study the report of the committee and the town reports and ask questions, also to look into articles in the warrant which do not call for money, and therefore are not considered by the Ap. Com. Committees and Commissions seem to be what Massachusetts voters prefer, even in town meetings, rather than look into things themselves.

As undoubtedly the vote will be light Monday, special care should be taken to vote for the Johnson $2000 cemetery bequest, as 90 per cent of the vote cast must be in favor in order to secure it. There would seem to be no good reason for voting against it.

Yes, we should have an inspector of wiring, if a competent one can be secured, otherwise we might as well save the money.—No, we should not change the terms of the Selectmen. They may need larger fixed terms in some towns but not here.—Protect the water supply of course.—Eight dollars minimum for meter service may be all right.—The sidewalks need improving all right.—Why does not the Board of Health tackle the Wedge pond conditions itself?—Why should the town make public a street which runs down a steep bank to a pond? On its face this is a queer layout.—Why should a town within eight miles of the State library go to the expense of building vaults for documents seldom called for?—Why should public employees have pensions more than other citizens? Is it a question of policy or right?

MRS. CHARLES H. DUPEE.

The death of Mrs. Louisa Hutchins, wife of Charles H. Dupee, occurred on Thursday morning at her home, No. 145 Washington street, caused by infirmities of her age, which was almost 84 years. Her death will be noted with sorrow by many of the older residents of Winchester, where for over 50 years she had made her home and enjoyed close friendships. She was a member of the First Baptist Church for the length of her life in town.

Mrs. Dupee leaves her husband and three children Mrs. Alexander MacDonald and George A. Dupee of Winchester and William O. Dupee of Boston.

Funeral services are to be held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. MacDonald, 141 Washington street.

WINCHESTER COUNCIL WON.

In the series of games at Woburn last night the Winchester Council, K. of C. team defeated the Woburn Council 7 to 3.

The scores:

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Woburn		Winchester	
Callahan, Costello	2	Holland, Foley	3
Lowney, Harkins	3	Coty, Sullivan	1

FORTY-FIVES

Woburn		Winchester	
Reddy, Goode	10	Lynch, Haley	13
McGrath, Coughlin	13	Fitzgerald, Cosgrove	12

WHIST

Woburn		Winchester	
McPartlin, Meehan	18	Murphy, Maguire	25
Maloney, Connolly	28	Caulfield, Shea	10

CHECKERS

Woburn		Winchester	
McColgan	0	King	3
O'Brien	0	Lyons	3

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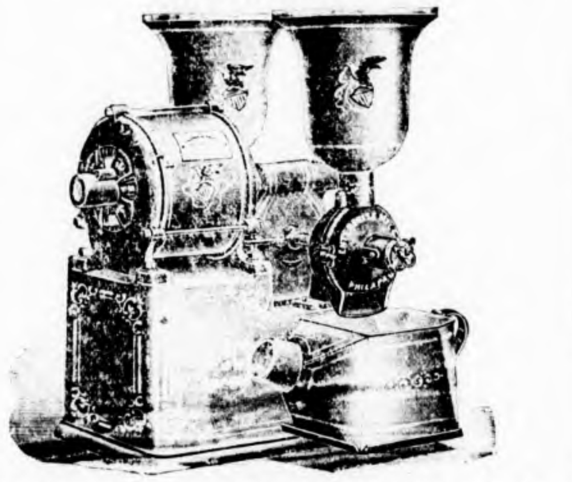

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THE KING'S BUSINESS

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lent." This is a description of some people who think they can get along without God; people who are independent without God. They never read the Bible; they never pray. God gave them up.

If we want to know ourselves as God sees us, one way is to go to the word of God. The world needs a deeper sense of sin. The tendency in these days is to minimize sin and to whitewash the sinner. Man never will get right with God until he knows he is a sinner. If we were to have a picture taken with God's camera tonight, I wonder how it would look! If we could see ourselves tonight as God sees us, I wonder how we would feel! "Search me, O God, and know my heart, try me, and know my thoughts, and see if there be any wicked way in me." Any deceit, any envy, any backbiting, any unforgiven spirit, any lust. O God, search me, try me, and see. Now there is another way by which we may know if there is any sin in our lives or not, and that is the secret of the nearness that we get to God. A man in the dark, though he look into the finest plate mirror, can see nothing. So the man from God in the darkness of unbelief and sin can see nothing of his own conviction. It is only as we draw near to God, and the nearer to God we get, the greater will be the consciousness of sin. The psalmist knew that, for he said, "Thou has set my secret sins in the light of thy countenance." God's presence has always been associated with a brilliant light. "All through the chapters of the bible no man can see my face and live," said He. There were some who prayed that they might see God's face, but they could not. When a man draws nearer and nearer to God, the light of God's holiness, the light of God's purity, the light of God's justice and mercy shines more clearly. The man, as he gets nearer and nearer and nearer to God begins to discover his sins. "Thou hast set my secret sins in the light of my countenance." Not only the sins that the world calls sins and that the world knows as sins in your life and mine will be sins but we will see the sins that not only the world sees, but the sins that we see. The nearer to God we get, the more clearly will we see these secret sins, but that term "secret sins" may mean something deeper. We will see sins that we do not count as sins. We will see sins in our lives that we have not called sins. We will see sins as God sees it when we draw nearer to Him and the light of His countenance shines upon us.

If there is no consciousness of sin in your lives, it is because you are very, very far from God. A man says, "I am a great deal better than some of your church members." As far as your outer life is concerned, that may be true, but how about your secret sins? You never know until you draw near to God, until you stand in God's presence and His light shines upon you. Oh, the secret sins of your life, sins of folly, sins of affection, sins of the body.

Another way that we may know ourselves as God know us,—by prayer. The psalmist tried all three. He went to the Bible; he went to the scriptures that he had in his day. He lacked the light of God, and after trying all his life, he was finally convinced that he was wrong and God was right. The nearer he came to God, the more he was conscious of his sin, and the next thing he did was to pray. "Search me, and try me, and know me, and see if there be any wicked way in me." If we pray the prayer, "O God, show me myself", and pray it honestly, sincerely and earnestly, we will soon have a vision of ourselves as God sees us, and then if we pray the prayer, "O God, show me myself," and pray it honestly, sincerely and earnestly, we will soon have a vision of ourselves as God sees us, and then if we pray the prayer, "O God, show me thyself," we will begin to have a vision of the love of God, and the burden of our hearts will be rolled away. We may be all right with our wives, our homes, our employers, and our fellow citizens, but how about being right with God? Why not pray the psalmist's prayer tonight, "Search me, O God, and know my heart, try me and see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting." Will you pray that prayer tonight?"" Dr. Smith then asked those who would like to be right with God to signify the same by rising, in response to which more than one hundred asked for prayers.

On Monday evening Dr. Smith's text was taken from Matthew 7:21-22. "Not everyone that saith unto me, "Lord, Lord," shall enter into the kingdom of Heaven, but he that doeth the will of my Father, which is in Heaven." Mr. Allen B. Fenno, of Yale University, led the chorus and rendered an effective solo.

He said that he feared that many would spend the eternity in the lost world, because they have indulged in false hopes in this world. There are many people who will not take God's word, but take their own. They stumble at noonday, as in the nighttime. They are religious, but they are lost. There are some who are church members, but they do not know whether they are saved or not. He then asked if there were any in the audience who wanted to be saved, to rise and say "Pray for me." 35 responding to this invitation.

On Monday evening Dr. Smith preached upon the subject "Religious but Lost," as follows:

Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity." Matthew 7: 21-23.

"We stumble at noonday as in the night." Isa 59: 10.

It is to be feared that some souls will spend Eternity in the lost world because they indulge in false hopes in this world. It is to be further feared that some ministers of the gospel, officers of the church, teachers of the Sunday school, parents and friends will be held accountable at the day of Judgment because they encourage these lost souls in these false hopes.

God has made a revelation of his law to man. He has spoken clearly about sin, its consequences and about the only way of Salvation. We are living in the high noon of the revelation of the will of God to man. In spite of this there are those who persist in indulging in false hopes. They are stumbling at noon day as in the night; they are religious but lost.

Some time ago, I asked a young woman in a service, if she was trusting in Christ. She replied, "I am not a heathen." Some people seem to think that because they were born in a so-called christian land that that entitles them to call themselves christians. It does differentiate them from Mohammedans, Buddhists or Confucianists, but it does not entitle them to call themselves christians in the deeper spiritual sense. To be born in a christian land, to be a member of a christian family, to be in attendance at a christian church does not ensure salvation. This can be proven in three ways: first, by the testimony of Jesus, second, by illustrations from the scriptures; and third, by experience.

1. Jesus very clearly taught in the 7th of Matthew that there were some people who built their houses on the rock, while others built theirs upon the sands. He said there were some who had all the externals of a christian life, who even preached His gospel and performed miracles in His name, who, when they came to the gate of Heaven at last to seek admission, would be denied.

The intimation here is that not only attendants at christian churches but members and even ministers of the Gospel will be denied admission to the Kingdom of Heaven at last, because they were not truly His.

2. The illustrations from the scripture that prove that one may be religious and yet be lost are many. The Rich Young Ruler who came to Jesus, worshipping him, and saying, "what must I do to inherit eternal life," could not meet the conditions. Jesus said, "keep the law," and he replied, "all this have I done from my youth up." Then Jesus said, "Go sell what thou hast and give to the poor and come and follow me." He turned away from Jesus and went away sorrowing. He could not make the sacrifice. He was religious, but there was just one thing that he lacked, that spirit of entire surrender to Christ and submission to his will. Another illustration is the Scribe, whose interview with Jesus is recorded in the twelfth of Mark. Jesus saw that this scribe had a great deal of religious knowledge, that he had a form of devotion, that he was a religious man and yet told him he was not in the kingdom. In the 34th verse Jesus said, "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God." He was near the kingdom but not inside. Nicodemus is another illustration. His famous interview with Jesus, recorded in the third of John, tells us how he seeks for light on the way and Jesus said, "Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of heaven." Nicodemus was a religious man, he was a member of the church of his day, yet he was lost. Saul of Tarsus is another illustration. He was a conscientious man as conscientious doubtless as any man that ever lived. He believed that it was right for him to kill christians and was on his way to Damascus to bind the christians there and bring them to Jerusalem that they might be put to death. When Jesus met him he was brought into the light. To follow the dictates of one's conscience will not guarantee one's salvation, for one may do, conscientiously, a thing that is wrong. Mohammedans are conscientious when they kill christians. They think it is their religious duty, but that does not make it right. The Mormons are conscientious in taking unto themselves more than one wife and yet that does not make it right. A man may be conscientious in his religious life and yet be lost. Going prayers, taking the sacrament, being good, doing good is no guarantee of salvation. All these things are the externals of the religious life and are like fruit tied to a tree; they are on the tree but they are not the product of the life of the tree.

3. The testimony of experience proves that one may be religious and yet be lost. At the close of a noon service in the Court House in Independence, Mo., some years ago, a woman came to me, saying, "Mr. Smith, I am a church member and have been for several years, but I know that I am not saved." Together with one of the pastors and a friend of hers we went into the Judges' room, and our Bibles and showed her the way of life; she then and there met the conditions of salvation and before she left the place, she knew that she was saved.

Dr. John Elliot tells of a woman who came home from church one Sunday noon and went immediately to her room, locking the door. When her family called her to dinner she asked to be excused. After the dinner was over her husband went to the door and demanded that she should let him in. She asked him to excuse her but when he insisted she opened the door. He said, "wife, what is the trouble?" She replied, "I hope you will not compel me to tell you." He said, "Wife! I insist upon it; what is the trouble?" and then in great agitation, she said, "The minister in his sermon said something this morning, that convinced me that you, though a member of the church, and an officer of the church are not a saved man and I cannot eat or do anything but pray that God will bring you to himself." The man stood as one stunned for a moment and when his surprise was over, flew into a rage. He turned and left his wife and the house. He went down to the bank and into his private office and there he spent that Sabbath afternoon. After his anger had subsided he began to think of the time he joined the church. He remembered that he had joined it as he would have joined a club. He did it because respectable people did it and so that he might be associated with them. He had never had any positive religious experience. When the twilight shadows were falling, he was convinced that his wife was right and he was wrong. He retraced his steps to his home in a different frame of mind, let himself in quietly and slipped up the stairs, knocked gently at the door and asked his wife to let him in. Then he told her that she was right and asked her to forgive him for his anger and asked her to pray for him that he might be saved. He made his calling and election sure that Sabbath evening. One English evangelist has in his possession over 500 letters from people who were members of churches, who professed to have been converted after they joined the church. Dr. Torrey says that many of the people who professed conversion in his meeting in England, Scotland and Ireland were communicants in the churches.

This proves the saying of the Master, that, "not everyone that saith Lord, Lord, shall enter the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven." The will of God is very clearly stated in the scripture; the plan of salvation is very plainly shown. We must repent. This was the message of John the Baptist at the Jordan; the message of Jesus throughout his public ministry; and the message of Peter on the day of Pentecost. It was the message of the Apostolic church and has been the message of the christian church from that day until the present. "Unless ye shall repent, ye shall all likewise perish." Repentance is turning from sin, with sorrow and penitence, confessing it to God and asking God for Jesus' sake to forgive it. Repentance is a change of mind that leads to a change of heart and this change of heart produces a change in the manner of life. The next step in salvation is faith. In Mark 16:16 we read, "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned." In Acts 16:31, the apostle told the Philippian jailer that in order to be saved he must believe on the Lord Jesus Christ. To believe on Christ to the saving of a soul does not mean to admire his character; it does not mean to acknowledge his greatness as a teacher of ethics, or a leader among men; it does not mean to believe about him but it means to believe on him. It means to let go of all self help and depend upon Christ and Christ alone to save from every sin; to know that we cannot atone for sin, that we cannot wash away one stain; to believe that Jesus died upon the cross as a sacrifice for us.

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In order to be saved we must be born again. Jesus said it to Nicodemus in John, the third chapter, the third and fifth verses, "Except a man be born again he cannot see the kingdom; except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God." Ye must be born again. To be born means, 1, to be quickened into newness of life by the Holy Spirit. The necessity for the new birth suggests that man is dead and needs to be quickened. This is shown in Ephesians, the second chapter, "And you hath He quickened who were dead in trespasses and sins." Even when we were dead in sins He hath quickened us together with Christ. 2. To become a new creature. "Therefore if any man be in Christ he is a new creation. Old things are passed away and behold all things are become new." 3. To be made temples of God. "Know ye not that ye are the temples of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you." 4. To participate in Deity. "Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises; that by those ye might be partakers of the divine nature." 2 Peter 1-4.

The new birth is brought about by receiving Jesus Christ by faith. "Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God which liveth and abideth forever." 1 Peter 1-23. Christ is this word of God, the incorruptible and incarnate word. We receive him by faith and when we do we become the sons and daughters of the living God. "As many as received him, to them gave He power to become the children of God." John 1-12. To believe about Jesus Christ is one thing and to receive Jesus Christ into the heart and life is quite another. "He that hath the Son hath life and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life."

Tuesday evening Dr. Smith gave a very profound talk on the text, "It is appointed unto all men once to die, but after this, the judgment." What will you do in the solemn day? He urged upon the people to be ready for the Judgment Day, impressing upon them that God will accept no excuses from us for not being eligible in His sight.

THE AFTERNOON MEETINGS.

Among the most helpful meetings in the Boston campaign were the Quiet Hour services held in the morning in the Back Bay churches. It was there that burdened hearts found relief in new visions of Jesus Christ.

The same is true of these afternoon meetings in the Winchester campaign. Here the people assemble in a quiet manner, and a most impressive service is conducted, and the people come face to face with God, and receive help for daily life.

On Tuesday Dr. Smith talked on "How to Pray," and on Wednesday "The Burden of Prayer," from Jesus' agony in the prayer garden. These two talks were most inspiring. Timely illustrations of the power of prayer caused the listening people to get a new hold on God, and a new vision of prayer. In such meetings the words of the Psalmist are recalled, "Be still, and know that I am God." Stillness is the handmaid to religious knowledge.

The large audience of women that gathered at the Congregational church Wednesday evening was well rewarded. Inspiration was instant and constant. A moment's presence of Dr. Arthur I. Smith, who was to lead the great Men's Meeting at the Town Hall, his genial words of greeting, the enthusiastic leading of the opening songs, and his sweet and gracious prayer,—all gave promise of the uplift to be enjoyed. Mr. F. J. Osgood, chairman of the Executive Committee, announced that on Thursday and Friday evenings, also at the services on Sunday, envelopes will be distributed, and the free-will offering that is enclosed will go to Dr. Smith.

Prof. Brown sang the strong, vibrating melody, "Oh for a Closer Walk with God." Miss Waterman then made some informal remarks while awaiting the arrival of the Beethoven Quartette, whose singing seemed to bring Heaven to earth as they made their appeal in the strains "Is Your Life hid with Christ?" and "When You Stand Before the King."

The clear and sympathetic voice of Miss Waterman had attracted those present from the first, and she completely won the hearts of all in the opening words of her address. Taking for her text Matt. 15:25, saying, "There came she and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, help me," she said: "With the exception of those visits to Jerusalem the Lord Jesus spent almost his entire ministry near the Galilean lake; but in the simple story He went away from that lake over towards Tyre and Sidon. Why He went we do not exactly know. Perhaps because He would get away from the people. He was in the habit of going apart. Perhaps He would like to tell the disciples the things that were in His heart, for He was soon to leave them.

There was a woman of Syrophoenicia, a Greek, who might be classed as a heathen, yet she had heard of Jesus Christ. She had heard He was merciful, and kind, and loving. She had perhaps heard from His lips "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your soul; for my yoke is easy and my burden is light." But she goes and speaks to Him, and He answers not a word. Why? I think He is reading her heart. I think He would like to test her a little bit. I know He would never turn anybody away, and this woman! Do you think the Lord Jesus would let her go out of His presence without receiving hope?

But this woman comes in behalf of another and she says "My daughter is grievously vexed with a devil, and Jesus says something about being sent to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. She then says "Lord, help me," and He says "It is not meet to take the children's bread and to cast it to dogs," and she replies, "Truth, Lord; yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their Master's table. They are in the same household. They belong to the same family." And Jesus understands her faith.

Jesus speaks to you and to me tonight. He says "Go back to thy cross and follow me!" Perhaps you have come to Jesus because you have known Him yourself and you have come in behalf of another, that daughter of yours who is so careless, so indifferent, so Christless. If she goes out into the world with all its temptations she needs not only the mother's love and the mother's protection but she needs the Saviour's love, help and power. We do not always hear Him. We do not always heed Him; but if we come into the presence of Jesus Christ tonight and worship Him, out of the depths of our hearts will be breathed this prayer: "Lord help Me." I say this woman gained great victory as she came in behalf of another.

O, my friend, you need help, you need something beyond the human—you need the Divine. He says, "Take up thy cross, and follow Me," but you say, "There is misfortune in the cross; I have not the cross of Christ, must I take up my cross and follow Jesus?" That is what the Word says, but! oh! the world's crosses are a great deal harder.

Give Jesus a chance to come in and show you the true way. Oh, mother, sister, friend—take Jesus into your heart and say you will live for Him.

Many arose for a more effective Christian life and fully 20 knelt before Miss Waterman in submission of Christ as their Saviour.

Over two hundred men, in spite of the rain of Wednesday evening, met in the Town Hall for the special men's meeting, so extensively advertised. The special music was greatly appreciated. A deep spirit was manifested, especially at the close of the sermon when a good number of men responded for a better life. Dr. Smith's manly appeal to the manhood of Winchester follows:

TEXT ROMANS—10TH CHAP.—21ST VER.
All day long I have stretched forth my hand unto a disobedient and gainsaying people.

This passage of scripture give us a glimpse of the interest of the Almighty to every man on the face of the earth. It also shows us something of the humilation of the Almighty in his effort to accomplish every redemption. God is interested in you and in me. Jesus said "Even the very hairs of our head are numbered."

He is interested in your life and in mine. This passage shows us how God approaches man in his effort to accomplish man's redemption. He comes and appeals to us "Turn ye—for why will ye die." "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest."

The God who made us. The God who redeemed us, stoops down, humbles himself in his approach to you and to me to accomplish his redemption and appeals to us.

Self-preservation has been called the first law of nature. God appeals to that law first. "Except ye believe, ye shall all likewise perish." If we do not turn from sin it will not be well for us in the judgement. Religion is a reasonable thing. They are men who say they have intellectual difficulties. It seems to be easier for women to believe than it does for men. God says "Let us come and reason together." God invites every man that is in doubt to come and reason with him. "Come, let us reason and give ourselves to the Lord." Religion is reasonable. It is unreasonable to go on in sin. Sin does not pay. Sin's pleasures are but for a season, not even for twenty-four hours. Religion is the only thing that brings to man blessings that abide. The religion that is offered to you is like an anchor to the soul that hasn't anything to offer. Like that. It is sure and steadfast. It will comfort you in the time of sorrow. "Come, now and let us reason" saith the Lord. If any man will turn to God, he will find that to his joy and his delight that religion is a reasonable thing. That it is better to serve God than to sin. He appeals to your will tonight and my will tonight, brother.

The will is all decisive. A man is what he wills to be. God cannot save a man against his will. If men in this company tonight are ever to be saved they must will to be saved. If there is a man here tonight that is in doubt, if you are in doubt and ever will come to God and tell him you will to do his will, you will be saved. Say this as he makes his appeal to your will tonight and say "I am willing to do your will." Say goodby to sin. Trust in his love to save you. Every man that is saved must be willed to be saved and he must tell God he wills to do it. You remember what it says in the Old Testament "God has a right to expect something from every man from the face of the earth, because he has been good to him. He has loved us with an everlasting love. He has not let us go."

He has not given us up, even though we have given him up. The very fact that you are in this room tonight is an evidence of it. God is loving us with an everlasting love. He gave his only begotten son to die upon Calvary's Cross that you and I may be saved. Do you know there is reciprocation in love? The law of nature reciprocates love. Love any kind of a dumb animal and it will love you. God's love toward man is greater than man toward man. God has a right to expect something in return for his goodness to us, in return to his many blessings with which he crowns our days.

Gratitude! He appeals to your gratitude tonight. "What shall I render unto the Lord for all his goodness to me?" The least we can do is to give him our selves. It takes a man to be a Christian. It takes a man with convictions to be a Christian. It takes a manly man to stand and say that he is on God's side. It takes a man with a backbone. A coward is never a Christian. It takes a hero to be a Christian.

Nathan Hale said "My only regret is that I have but one life to give to my country." I can think of a nobler saying than that, "My only regret is that I have but one life to give to my God, who has done so much for me."

I will live for Christ and his glory. Have you the courage to say that tonight. It requires more courage than it does to face the cannon's mouth. It takes that moral courage that appears to every Christian to make a stand for what he knows is right.

It was on the battlefield. The battle was over. An old Quaker was looking for his son. He went to every prostrate form on that field and looked tenderly into the upturned face to find his boy. In the night he took a lantern and went about the battlefield calling again and again "John Haughton: Thy father calleth thee" and he listened, and the minutes and the hours went by with no response. Every body he came to he turned it over and he looked into its face. During the night he went on calling "John Haughton thy father calleth thee" until he heard a faint voice, saying "Here father, here father," and led by the sound of the direction, he followed it until he found his boy.

Oh! men! tonight thy maker calleth thee. He has humbled Himself. After He made you and me, and gave us our wills to do as we would He has humbled himself. He is here tonight. He is calling you by name. He wants you. You need Him and He wants you. Will you hear his call, and say "Here father, here father?"

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The importance of keeping a water supply for domestic use as free as possible from pollution is generally recognized.

Eight years ago the Town gave up two-fifths of the North reservoir watershed and spent over $40,000 for the diversion of Dike's brook. This was done because the water flowing down from the unsanitary Stoneham district was a constant menace to the health of our citizens.

This left us a watershed free from human habitation and located in the Middlesex Fells, where the the three reservoirs in which the water is stored. This town owns its reservoirs and the shores immediately adjacent. Unfortunately [illegible] portion of this area lies in Winchester, the balance is in Stoneham and Medford.

Our local police have authority to enforce rules and regulations within the limits of the town, but they are powerless in Stoneham and Medford.

For several years prior to 1904 it had been the custom to issue fishing permits, but there was a growing feeling in the Water Board that it was not wise to do so. In the latter part of 1903 a then member of the local Board of Health came to the Water Board, and with great earnestness called attention to an instance of gross and revolting pollution of the north reservoir water by fishermen. He spoke of the danger to the public health and was emphatic in his demand that such defilement be made impossible in the future. To ensure the adequate protection of our water supply from such contamination, the Water Board voted to forbid fishing and skating on the reservoirs, and any access to them.

The Metropolitan Park Commission was notified, and acting under an agreement with the Town made the vote effective. The rules made by your Water Board and enforced by the Metropolitan Park police prevented any pollution incident to the presence of man in or near the water. Thus without expense to the Town the water used by our citizens was safeguarded from defilement. Like rules are enforced by the Metropolitan Water Board for Spot Pond and the other storage basins under its control. The State Board of Health has the same restrictions for the purpose of securing the sanitary protection of the water used by forty-three cities and towns in this Commonwealth.

At the Town meeting last March a vote was introduced as follows:

Voted, That citizens of Winchester be allowed to fish in the Winchester reservoirs under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Winchester Board of Health and approved by the Winchester Water Board, the Massachusetts Fish and Game Commission or a majority of said three boards; said rules and regulations to be enforced at the reservoirs by the Metropolitan Parks Commission agreeably to an existing agreement between said Commission and the Town of Winchester, executed July 20th, 1904. It is also voted that the Winchester Board of Health, or its appointed agent, is hereby authorized to grant fishing permits to citizens of Winchester, or families of said citizens, and is authorized to collect a small fee sufficient to meet the incidental expenses of issuing the permits and of taking care of the fishing, the said board reporting annually the amount of the fees from whom received and for what purpose expended.

The Water Board opposed the passage of this vote and stated the practice of the Metropolitan Water Board and the State Board of Health. A letter was also read from the latter Board; which has oversight of all water supplies in the State, in which it was stated that the quality of the Winchester supply was as good, or better, than ever before, but called especial attention to the necessity of adequate protection lest the health of our citizens be endangered by the increasing number of visitors who frequent the Fells. The voters present did not heed the protest of the Water Board, and at a late hour the vote was passed.

The Board of Health gave the matter careful consideration, and reported as follows in the STAR of April 10th:

FISHING IN THE RESERVOIRS.

Board of Health Say that it Should Not be Permitted.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

If you will kindly grant them the use of your columns, the Board of Health will take this method of reporting to the Citizens of Winchester the action taken by them in accordance with the vote passed under article 23 regarding fishing in the reservoirs, at the March town meeting.

Desiring to obtain all the information possible bearing on the situation, the Board of Health requested the Water Board to meet with them to consider the matter. At this meeting held March 10th, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That F. M. Ives be instructed to consult with the chairman of the Metropolitan Park Commission and inquire whether the Commission would consider as legal and reasonable, under the agreement between the Town of Winchester and said Commission, dated July 20, 1904, and so enforceable, rules and regulations in relation to the fishing on the Winchester reservoirs made and approved in accordance with a vote of the town passed March 9, 1908, when said reservoirs lie for the most part in the Town of Stoneham and the City of Medford, and when citizens of Winchester alone can be permitted, in accordance with said vote and said rules and regulations, to fish in said reservoirs.

In accordance with this resolution, Mr. Ives addressed the following letter to the Chairman of the Metropolitan Park Commission, enclosing copies of the vote of the town and the resolution of the two boards.

March 17, 1908.

Mr. William B. de las Casas, chairman Metropolitan Park Commission, 14 Beacon street, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—On March 9th at the adjourned session of the annual town meeting, the Town of Winchester voted to allow fishing in the reservoirs of the town under certain conditions—a copy of the vote as it appeared in a local paper is enclosed.

Last evening at a joint meeting of the Board of Health and the Water Board, I was instructed in accordance with the enclosed resolution to inquire whether the Metropolitan Park Commission considered it had legal authority to enforce regulations which permitted only citizens of Winchester to fish in the reservoirs, and if it considered it had legal authority to enforce such regulations if it would consider such regulations "reasonable," under the provisions of the agreement between the town and the Commission dated July 20, 1904, and would enforce them.

Yours very respectfully,
(Signed) FREDERICK MANLEY IVES,
Chairman Winchester Board of Health.

April 1st, 1908, the following reply was received:

METROPOLITAN PARK COMMISSION.

Congregational House, 14 Beacon street,
Boston, March 31, 1908.

Mr. Frederick Manley Ives, Chairman Winchester Board of Health, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Your letter of March 17 with enclosures presented by you to the chairman of this Board was brought by him to the attention of the Commission and subsequently the Commission obtained the opinion of their Law Department on the questions submitted by you. I am directed by the Commission to send you a copy of said opinion, from which it would appear that the police officers of the Commission would have neither the duty nor the authority to enforce such regulations as are contemplated and the Commission would not order them so to do.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) JOHN WOODBURY,
Secretary.

As it is thus impossible for rules and regulations which might be made by this Board to be enforced in accordance with the vote of the town, the Board does not deem it wise or expedient to take further action under said vote in the way of framing and approving rules and regulations.

The members of this Board desire to state further that apart from the serious legal considerations and complications involved, it is their unanimous opinion, after a careful consideration of the whole subject, that fishing in the reservoirs should not be permitted by the town.

FREDERICK MANLEY IVES,
CLARENCE J. ALLEN, Sec.
WILLIAM M. MASON,
Board of Health.

In the next issue of the STAR the gentleman who had offered and supported the vote permitting fishing had an article in which he attaches no importance to the opinion of the Board of Health that fishing should not be allowed, but says the Town has voted to allow fishing, and as the Board of Health has refused to make rules governing fishing the fishermen must make their own rules.

Under the conditions that existed a year ago there was no defilement of our water supply by the human waste incident to the use of the reservoirs for skating and fishing. But the vote allowing fishing passed last March has utterly changed the situation. It has deprived us of Park police supervision; it has made our reservoirs a common resort for fishermen, not only from our own town, but from all the territory hereabouts.

This statement is made that the citizens may understand the situation as it was before this vote was passed, and to make it plain how the change has come about.

An article has been inserted in the Warrant for the March Town Meeting under which, if favorable action is taken, our reservoirs may again be under the same supervision as they were prior to the Town Meeting of last year.

It may be of interest also to read the opinion of the legal adviser of the Metropolitan Park Commission, which follows this communication.

HENRY C. ORDWAY,
For the Winchester Water and Sewer Board.

Boston, March 30, 1908.

John Woodbury, Esq.,
Secretary Metropolitan Park Commission.

Dear Sir,—I understand the Commission desires to be advised, First: whether the votes passed at the adjourned session of the annual meeting of the Town of Winchester on March 9, relative to fishing in the Winchester reservoirs, are valid by-laws regarding the subject of fishing, and, Secondly: if they are valid, whether it is the duty of the Commission, under an agreement of 1904 between the Commission and the Winchester Water Board, to enforce such by-laws.

The vote of the Town in question is as follows: (See same vote quoted in foregoing article passed at annual Town Meeting, 1908.)

I have not been informed to the contrary and I am therefore obliged to assume that the above votes are the only ones which have been passed by the town on the subject. If this is so, I am of the opinion that these votes are not valid by-laws regarding the matter of fishing in these reservoirs.

If it is assumed that these votes are in all respects in proper form, they are still in my opinion invalid in that they attempt to discriminate between those who are citizens of Winchester and those who are not. Judge Dillon in his "Municipal Corporations" (Vol. 1, § 322) says, "As it would be unreasonable and unjust to make, under the same circumstances, an act done by one person penal, and if done by another not so, ordinances which have this effect cannot be sustained. Special and unwarranted discrimination, or unjust or oppressive interference in particular cases, is not to be allowed. The powers vested in municipal corporations should as far as practicable, be exercised by ordinances general in their nature and impartial in their operation." Cooley in his "Constitutional Limitations" (page 278 et seq.) writes to the same effect. A number of cases are cited by these authorities in which by-laws discriminating between citizens and non-citizen residents have been held invalid. On this ground alone, therefore, I am of this opinion; that these by-laws are not valid because unreasonable.

Aside from the question of the reasonableness of these by-laws, they seem to me to be fatally defective in another respect. The substance of these votes is that citizens of Winchester shall be allowed to fish under permits from the Winchester Board of Health. This is not equivalent to saying that they shall not fish without such permits. It can be argued, of course that the implication is that fishing without a permit shall not be allowed, but these by-laws if enforced at all must be enforced as penal enactments, a breach of which is punishable by fine, and it is a familiar rule that penal enactments are strictly construed and will not be enlarged by inference. I do not believe that the Court would hold that these votes prohibit fishing without a permit.

Very truly yours,
GEO. LAWSON HOLMES.

BASKET BALL.

WINCHESTER A. A. 36, W. H. S. 16.

Winchester A. A. defeated the High School team last Monday night by the score of 36-16. The High School team was without the services of Captain [illegible] and Thompson and was somewhat handicapped. The A. A. team had the better of it all through the game and the winner was never in doubt.

King played a star game, getting several difficult baskets and he alone scored enough points to win the game. Bergstrom played a hard game at guard and also figured several times in scoring. Dover and Cameron played a game for the High School team.

Winchester High 2nd defeated Winchester A. A. 2nd in a very one sided game between the halves by the score of 52 to 6. LeDuc and Tuck played excellently for W. H. S. 2nd.

The lineup:

WINCHESTER H. S.		WINCHESTER A. A.
Cameron	rf	King
Hamilton	lf	Mellet
Dover	c	Smith
Sharon	rg	Mobbs
Hanson	lg	Bergstrom

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WILSON PALMER DEAD.

Wilson Palmer died suddenly last week, Thursday evening at his home on Robbins Road, Arlington, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy.

Mr. Palmer was about town the day before and visited many of his friends, remarking that he had not felt so well for a long time. On reaching his home, he felt a change coming on and during the evening complained of not feeling well. He retired to his room and in a short time the children of his daughter, Mrs. Henry W. Hallard, with whom he lived, heard a heavy fall. They rushed upstairs and found Mr. Palmer lying on the floor. A physician pronounced the patient dead. At the time of his death Mr. Palmer was alone in the house with the maid and the four children of his daughter, the parents having gone to Candia, N. H., to spend the holidays, as was their annual custom.

Mr. Palmer was 76 years of age and was born in Candia, N. H. In the latter part of the '60s and the '70s he taught school in Arlington, and has always had a keen interest in the working of the schools there, and was a frequent visitor to the class-rooms. He was a writer of note, and his contributions to the daily papers as well as the local weeklies were many and full of interest. His love for his native place was strong, and many of his writings were of Candia. A short time ago he published a book entitled "Reminiscences of Candia," which had a large sale. He was a greater lover of nature, his daily walks were long and through sections where he could look on the beauties of nature, and to him those walks meant much. As a public speaker he was widely known, and many organizations procured him to talk on educational matters.

Many years ago he was the Master of the Winchester High School and is well remembered by the older people of the town. He had been a frequent contributor to the STAR in past years.

SUBURBAN LIFE.

No one possessing a garden or an interest in gardening should fail to secure a copy of Suburban Life for March, which is the annual gardening number, and, as usual, contains a wealth of valuable information.

The leading article, handsomely illustrated, is entitled "In the Vice-President's Garden," and describes the beautiful home of Vice-President Sherman. "Adventures in a Flower Garden," is a fascinating bit of writing from the pen of Martha McCulloch-Williams. "The Garden of the Rented Home" will be appreciated by many commuters.

Other articles are: "Plants for Many Purposes," "Landscape Gardening Without Freaks or Frills," "Golden Rules for the Gardener," "Garden Short Cuts," "An Epicure's Garden," "Clothes for the Gardening Commuter," "Home-Grown Sweet Potatoes," and "How to Plant Roses." One of the most valuable features of this number consists of four pages of planting tables for flowers and vegetables.

Other articles of interest in this number are "Despoiling the Hetch-Hetchy," by William Frederic Bade, "Making Over An Old House," "A Fresh-Air Sleeping-Room," "How We Learned To Stencil," "Poultry-Houses for Small Flocks," "A City Beautiful in the Southland," "A Cheap Hot-Water Supply," and "Furnishing the Nursery."

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STREET LIGHTING.

It is about time that the town of Winchester took some steps in the matter of its street lighting. The information at hand plainly shows that the prices for street lighting on the Edison system are much lower than elsewhere. If our citizens would step across the line into the city of Medford, they would find that Winchester is receiving a larger amount of light for less money, even without a contract. There is a constant and a growing demand for more light.

It would cost more a ten-year contract between $60 and $70 more than we are now appropriating for burning the street lights a night which is the demand of almost every community. It is considered essential that the people who are obliged to be out after midnight, such as doctors, night watchmen, policemen, and workers, should receive the consideration that their professions justly bring, the streets lighted. It is a well-known fact that all burglaries and crimes of a similar nature are perpetrated between midnight and morning.

The Edison company, recognizing the demand for more light and improved conditions, has instituted Tungsten lamps and in consideration of a ten-year contract will furnish new fixtures throughout the town besides giving the 10 per cent discount. The question may be asked why they do not do this without a contract. It follows that no corporation, firm, or individual would be very likely to make a large investment without some assurance of a reasonable return thereon. These fixtures being very expensive, the aggregate cost to the Edison company to do this would be large. Further, it is preferable in all business, more especially perhaps in the electric lighting business than any other, that some permanency be established.

Articles 2 and 3 of the contract read as follows:

2) Subject to appropriations for street lighting from year to year, the Town agrees to pay, and the company agrees to accept, monthly, for the service aforesaid, the company's standard municipal street lighting prices, less discount as below, as they are now or may hereafter be established; but they shall not be increased except as hereinafter provided.

The existing schedule is as follows:

YEARLY STREET LIGHTING RATES

Electricity for street lighting use will be sold to municipalities under the special Terms and Conditions as given below, in accordance with the following table:

Description of lamp		Fixed costs per lamp per year	Running costs per lamp per hour
40-c.p.	Incandescent	$10.80	1 4 cent
60 "	"	12.00	2/10 "
80 "	Multiple "	13.40	4/10 "
425 watt A. C.	Arc "	36.00	1.5/10 "
500 " D. C.	" "	42.00	1.34 "

First deduction: A rate of 1c per hour per incandescent lamp and 3c per hour per arc lamp will be allowed for all outages, provided written notice of same is received by the company on or before the 5th of the succeeding month.

Second deduction: When agreements are made for periods longer than one year, one per cent discount will be allowed for each year up to ten.

This contract being for a period of ten years, the town shall be entitled to a discount of ten per cent upon all bills rendered pursuant hereto.

(3) Nothing in this contract shall be construed to annul, suspend or limit any right which either party might otherwise have to apply to the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners, or other lawful authority, for a change or revision in the prices, terms or conditions of service herein provided for, except that the period during which this contract is to continue shall not be changed except by consent of both parties.

What is a fair price for the town of Winchester? It is a known fact to those who have interested themselves in the subject, that the Edison company's prices are the very lowest in the state of Massachusetts with the exception of two or three cities or towns that have natural water power.

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KEITH'S THEATRE.

Next week Mr. Keith will add another to the long list of stars of the first magnitude that have been appearing at Keith's Theatre this season, in Jefferson DeAngelis, the comic opera star who has always been a great favorite in Boston. His vaudeville venture has been one series of successes.

Another headline feature will be the first appearance at this house of Claire Romaine, the English girl, who has been a successful rival of Vesta Tilley in boys' character parts and who is known as "London's pet boy." She has a set-solid repertoire of songs all written especially for herself.

As was predicted, "Circumstantial Evidence," the jury room sketch, proved one of the largest hits of the season and has received an endless amount of comment, so much so in fact, that the management has decided to hold it over for another week.

The bill will be remarkable for the number of acts seen in Boston for the first time, all of them in the headline class. Among these will be Long Acre Quartette, Harry B. Lester and Hugh J. and Hildred Emmet. Others are the Josettis and their Lilliputians; Edgar Allen & Company; Anderson and Goines; the Flying Martins and some special attraction to be announced later.

BOSTON THEATRE.

The historic Boston Theatre will house an attraction next week that is very closely associated with its fame. This is "Way Down East", under the management of William A. Brady, which has played several memorable engagements there. In making a revival of this famous old play, for the benefit of Boston theatre-goers, Mr. Brady has re-engaged Miss Phoebe Davies, Eric Blair Collins, Ella Hugh Wood, John E. Brennan, Mabel Strickland, James T. Galloway, and other players who have been seen there in their respective roles many times. Miss Davies, the original Anna Moore, has played the part nearly five thousand times, and several of the others are not far behind her.

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THE MARCH STRAND MAGAZINE.

The Strand Magazine for March provides its readers with a budget of good things and is particularly strong in fiction. Hall Caine's latest novel, "The White Christ," is continued and increases in interest as the plot thickens.

Short stories by Max Pemberton, Sidney Low, Pett Ridge and Dorothy Deakin are all of the best. Harry Lauder, the Scotch comedian, continues his "Reminiscences" and relates some humorous incidents of his early struggles. F. A. H. Eyres writes on "Crime and the Crystal" and prefaces his remarks with the question, "Has Crystal Gazing a Scientific Basis?" The article contains many sensational accounts of how famous crimes have been detected by means of crystal gazing. E. S. Valentine writes of W. S. Gilbert as "Pirate" famed as an artist, illustrating his article with many of final sketches made by the famous "Savoy" librettist during his "Bab Ballad" days. "Stage Frolics" will surely interest "stage folk" for many revelations are made regarding the enormous salaries which are paid to actors, pianists, vaudeville artists, violinists, singers and dancers. Some of the most famous in these professions seem to be able to measure their fees at so much a minute! The color section consists of potraits of Grand Opera Artistes chosen by themselves while the Beautiful Homes and Gardens series deals this month with Powderham Castle, a famous and romantic English estate. The curiosities are unusually interesting.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abbie M. Crowe, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to Daniel M. Daley of Arlington in the County of Middlesex without requiring a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second day of March, A. D., 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Timothy C. Murphy, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John J. Lynch, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of March A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Calvin Robinson, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court, to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Calvin F. Robinson, of Winchester, in the County of Middlesex.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty fourth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

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North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.18 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. A. Sargent and Miss Sargent are in Boston for a week visiting Mrs. Sargent's father, Mr. E. B. Badger of Beacon street.

Thursday evening, February 2d, Mr. Frank Basil Tracy addressed the Men's Club of Christ Church, Hyde Park, on "Washington as he is [illegible]." About 100 were present.

Mrs. William L. Lawrance and daughter sail on the [illegible] Saturday, [illegible] 27th for an extended trip through Europe.

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Wise Selectmen. They propose to let other cities and towns do the experimenting with street preservatives, and later on, if successful, Winchester will adopt the best.

At the sixth annual banquet of the Middlesex Sportsman's Association held Friday evening, Mr. Chas. A. Lane was elected one of the vice-presidents, and Dr. Shepherd, Henry Wheeler and E. S. Barker on the executive committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caldwell of Mt. Vernon street are the parents of a daughter born Monday morning.

Quality remains the same with Covel's ice cream. Order now for Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hazeltine have sent out cards for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Gertrude B. Carter to Mr. Victor W. Krause, March 3, at their home, No. 9 Palmer street, Arlington. They will live in the State of Michigan. Miss Carter who resided in Winchester all her life until a short time ago, was a teacher in the Winchester schools for several years, and very popular among the young people.

Miss Marion E. Simonds is receiving congratulations on her engagement to Mr. Harry Verder of Hollis, Mass. Miss Simonds was formerly a Winchester girl and has a number of relatives here.

Friday of last week an auction sale was held at the Baeder, Adamson & Co's plant at East Woburn, disposing of horses, harnesses, wagons and miscellaneous equipment, which means the passing out of one of the oldest manufacturing plants in this vicinity. This firm has been in the field, making glue, sand paper and emery paper since 1828, but since the death in March, 1907 of Mr. J. K. Marshall of Brookline, one of the partners and the mainstay of the concern in this section, it was decided to consolidate all the business at Philadelphia. The plant here consisted of about 60 acres of land and about a dozen buildings of various sizes are for sale.

Mr. William J. Dunton, a Winchester boy, has become the successor of the well known florist, Marston B. Bunker of 8 City Hall avenue, Boston. The many Winchester friends of this young man will be pleased to learn of his rise in business life, and they can be assured of fair and generous treatment at the hands of Mr. Dunton in anything pertaining to flowers or plants.

Covel's home made candies made fresh every day.

Last Tuesday afternoon a small party was given by Mrs. Louis Claflin of Reservoir street in honor of her friend, Mrs. Thomas Hoyt of Forest street. The occasion was Mrs. Hoyt's birthday, who is spending the winter with Mrs. Claflin. The affair was very informal. A social afternoon with music and refreshments was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Hoyt was the recipient of many tokens of regard on that day, including beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall W. Jones have been visiting in Montpelier, Vt. this week.

On the returning warships at Hampton Roads this week were A. E. H. Chamberlain on the Ohio; Geo. Leveille on the Connecticut; and Thomas Whitlock on the Georgia.

The Prince Livery Stable has been enlarged and altered and in addition to the livery, depot carriages have been added to its equipment. For conveyance to and from the station tel. 211-1. d25,tf

Aberjona Council, No. 1002, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "smoker" and entertainment in Harmony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 8 o'clock. Good time.

Winchester Clothes Cleansing Co., 626 Main street. Tel. 289 1.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Under the auspices of the Vestment Committee of the Parish of the Epiphany a delightful party for the young people of the parish and their friends was given in Waterfield Hall Monday afternoon. The hall was attractively decorated with flags. Games from two to four o'clock gave the young children opportunity for a great fun and everyone enjoyed things. [illegible]

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A Memorial Mass was sung at St. Mary's Church Monday morning for the deceased members of the Holy Name Society. The [illegible] Rev. Walter J. [illegible] was celebrant of the Mass.

Congressman McCall has declined the presidency of Dartmouth College.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry J. Olmstead are in Vermont for a few days.

Mrs. Frank M. White is suffering from an injury to her ankle.

Mrs. Hattie Bosworth Andrews of the First Cong'l S. S., Woburn, is a contestant in the Boston American European contest. Coupons are published in the Sunday edition of the American only. If any of our readers have coupons that they are willing to place to her credit they can be left at the STAR Office, or sent to her at Woburn, or forwarded to the Boston Office to "Tourist Editor." The favor will be appreciated by herself and friends.

As winter approaches your fire risk increases. Don't neglect getting that insurance policy. Geo. Adams Woods.

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Mr. W. Eugen Wilde and Mr. Alfred Clark went to New Mexico this week for a month's recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rand were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Hunt.

Hermann Dudley Murphy has a collection of his paintings on exhibition at the Albright Art Gallery, Buffalo, N. Y., for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Beverly, formerly of this town were guests over Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Albert Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bragg of Troy, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Cleon Towne of Calumet Road.

Mr. Joshua Phippen will be the organist at the vesper service held on Sunday evening at the New Jerusalem Church, Bowdoin Street, Boston.

Mrs. May White Tedford can be engaged for readings by clubs, lodges, private socials, churches and etc., 6 Herrick street; Tel. 129-3. f5-4t*

Mr. J. A. Laraway has commenced to rebuild his residence on Forest street damaged by fire in the early winter.

Five special carloads of people came her last evening from Melrose to hear Dr. Smith at the Congregational Church.

Mrs. Alonzo P. Weeks and Dr. and Mrs. Hovey L. Shepherd left today for New York. The Doctor returns Monday and the ladies will make a stay of two weeks.

Miss Anna M. Holland, formerly of the Mme. Pinault Co., Boston, has opened Toilet Parlors, at 371 Main street, Woburn. Manicuring, Chiropody, Hairdressing, Shampooing and Hair Dyeing a Specialty. Telephone Connection.

Sanderson, Electrician. Tel. 355-2.

Edwin J. Goodwin of Roxbury and Miss Irene May Webber of this town were married Wednesday evening by Rev. John W. Suter, rector of the Church of the Epiphany.

There was a reception of new members into the Married Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Church last evening. The sermon was preached by Rev. Thomas P. McManmon of Dorchester, formerly a curate of this parish.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Simonds of Hollis, N. H., are visiting Mr. Simonds's mother on Main street.

It is reported that Miss Marguerite Power, recently of this town, died during the week.

Aberjona Council, No. 1002, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "smoker" and entertainment in Harmony Hall, Tuesday evening, March 2d, at 8 o'clock. Good time.

For Sale—a fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and re-ironed. Price $60. Address 7 Washington street. ja22.tf

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

[illegible] the fire department [illegible] for a chimney fire in the Moore house on [illegible] street. There was no damage, but other buildings were endangered by the vast volume of sparks which came from the chimney.

Letters from Miss L. J. Sanderson to friends in this town this week, are from Switzerland.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

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LOST.

Thursday, between the Baptist Church and Myrtle terrace, a set of plans for a house. Finder please leave at Laraway's Plumbing shop. f26

LOST.

Tuesday evening meeting [illegible] Church, a pair of [illegible] Finder please return to Mrs. [illegible] Washington street, Winchester. Reward offered. [illegible]

LOST

[illegible] Town Hall [illegible] A [illegible] W. Blanchard's [illegible] f26

LOST.

A [illegible] between the Town Hall and [illegible] Finder please [illegible] f26

LOST.

Gold [illegible] pin, between Rangeley road and Town Hall [illegible] last week Thursday. Finder leave at No. 9 Rangeley road. f26*

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A model F Buick in first class condition, looks like new, with top, basket, new tires, with 1 extra, shoe and casing, 5 extra inner tubes. Will be sold cheap. Demonstrations can be had if desired. N. GODDU, 18 Chestnut street, Winchester, Mass. f26,4t

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No. 15 Harvard street, two tenement house in good repair, nine rooms and bath, two front doors, for sale at a big bargain. Small payment down, balance on very easy terms. G. EDWARD SMITH, 387 Washington St., Boston, 12 to 1. f26 tf

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Rev. Daniel March, D.D., of Woburn is dangerously ill. "Tell my friends," he says "that I am waiting the Lord's time."

A bill is before the Legislature to prevent assessors in towns of over 3000 from holding any other elective office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Marzy have requested letters of dismission from the First Congregational Church and of recommendation to the Congregational Church in Hollis, Mass.

The annual dinner of the men of the Unitarian Church will be held this evening in the church edifice.

Samuel J. Elder, Esq., has been offered the position of senior counsel to arbitrate the New England fisheries dispute at The Hague.

Mr. Abram [illegible] was in town Tuesday visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary A. [illegible] aged 73, who died at [illegible] Woburn last Sunday, was [illegible]

Miss Hattie A. Shaw, one of the Symphony [illegible] at the vesper service [illegible] Congregational Church on [illegible]

Rev. Arthur Winn moved into his new house on Fairmount street last week.

Samples of the new street light fixtures used with Tungsten lamps by the Edison Co. throughout its territory will be displayed near the Town Hall the last of February.

Just remember Covel's strictly pure ice cream for your Sunday dinner.

Miss Lillian Winn of Cambridge street is ill at her home with scarlet fever.

Lewis Parkhurst and John L. Ayer with their families, left Tuesday for a trip south for a month. They will visit Palm Beach, Florida, and possibly go over to Cuba.

A memorial mass for the deceased members of Winchester council, 210, Knights of Columbus, was celebrated Monday morning at St. Mary's Church. Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, PhD, was the celebrant of the mass.

Winchester Council, Knights of Columbus, has in preparation "Cordelia's Aspirations" which will be presented in the Town Hall on the evening of March 17.

Mr. W. O. Blaisdell, proprietor of the Prince Stables, has secured control of the Lakeside Stables, 670 Main street and will conduct the business of both. His telephone number is 211-1.

The Epiphany Club elected the following officers Tuesday evening: President, Edward O. Punchard; Vice-president, Walter Cummings; Treasurer, William L. Kendall; Secretary, Edward E. Murphy.

Mrs. French of Fairmount street, who met with a painful accident about two months ago, breaking a limb, has returned from the hospital and is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Roland H. Sherman and daughter Julia of Everett avenue, left yesterday for the west. They will visit relatives in Chicago and Indianapolis.

Dr. Clarence E. Ordway read a paper before the Middlesex East District Medical Society, at its regular monthly meeting held at The American House Wednesday night. The subject of the paper was, "Infection of the Naso Pharyngeal Mucous Membrane." The inclement weather did not prevent a large and enthusiastic meeting.

Buy your note paper at Wilson's.

Mrs. John Park of Maple road is spending the week with relatives in Nashua, N. H.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

During the little freshet of last Friday and Saturday, the mill pond was ten inches higher than normal while below the mill the water stood three feet higher than its usual height. At Mystic Lake the water stood three inches lower than normal. These figures seem to show that the water channels above Bacon St. bridge and the bridge itself are not large enough to safely take care of freshet water. A good big freshet under present conditions would probably do much damage to private property as well as tumble down Bacon St. bridge, which might be in itself, a public improvement.

Much to the surprise of everyone the Lebanon street spring started up last Saturday, and is now running in good shape. It looks as if the height of water in the reservoirs have a great deal to do with the flowing of this spring.

For a pie to take Washington's Birthday was a [illegible] cracker.

Look now is the time to order Covel's ice cream.

Samuel Ames of Cabot street is home of home from Exeter on account of an attack of bronchitis.

The electrical effect in the snow scene at the Isle of Bamboo on Saturday evening was arranged by Edmund C. Sanderson. It was the principal scenic feature of the show and remarkably realistic.

Why is it that Washington street, one of the principal thoroughfares of the town is allowed to remain a quagmire year after year for almost its entire length. The only part of the street which resembles a fit place for pedestrians is between the rails of the car tracks, and that is wretched. On Sunday and Monday the street was black with people during the entire day, all trying to find a place where the water and mud shallowed up a little. The sidewalks were deserted.

People who attended the town hall the first of the week remarked that there was ample room for better ventilation, or else the using of any system other than that now installed.

A lady from Melrose visiting in Winchester the past week said that all the people at that place who attended the meetings thought that Dr. Smith had wonderful success. One evening at the special meeting for women while Dr. Smith was absent, the leader asked those who were in love with Dr. Smith to raise their hand and almost every hand went up. He has a great power as a leader and winner of souls.

When you want a really dainty dinner card go to Wilson the Stationer.

There have been a number of cases of blood poisoning in Winchester recently. Mrs. J. C. Adams also Mr. Bert Robinson, driver for Richardson the grocer, both who have had blood poisoning in the hand have recovered.

The cover design on the School Committee's report was drawn by Homer W. Colgate, class of 1912 of the High School. Competitive competition for a cover design was held in the drawing class, the work of the pupils being judged by an expert cover designer of Boston. Mr. Colgate's was judged to be the best.

Since the opening of school the number of cases of scarlet fever reported among the pupils has been 38 to date. At the time of the opening of the schools there were twelve other cases, making a total of 50 cases.

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TOWN MEETING.

Appropriations go Through With a Rush.

The statement was made at the annual town meeting that the Appropriations were sliding through like a vessel gliding down greased ways, everything moving along so smoothly. This was correct too, the 400 or more citizens not appearing to take the slightest interest in the business. As a result close onto $100,000 was voted in the space of a few minutes. Some citizens claimed that this was due to the town having an Appropriations Committee. However, we believe that the blame lies with the citizens. This committee does not cut off debate on Appropriations; there is just as good opportunity to discuss them now as there ever was, and the committee invites discussion. It would have been a serious mistake to have discontinued this committee, as there is no doubt but what such action would result in an increase of taxes as there would have been no basis for the meeting to work upon. As it is now the voters know just what the tax rate will be if the appropriations recommended are adhered to. They know, too, that if they are exceeded the rate will be higher. The matter is practically put up to the meeting whether it will continue the present favorable showing or fall into the error that other towns are making of spending more than the income.

Mr. W. L. Tuck tried several times to bring about discussion, but he was not successful until Mr. Rowe offered a motion appointing the usual Appropriations Committee. This resulted in a genuine good debate that was refreshing, and which lasted for the greater part of an hour.

One of the pleasing features of the meeting was the increasing of the salary of Miss Mabel Stinson, the efficient and accommodating clerk at the Town Hall. She deserved it, and the reward was so meet that no voice was raised in protest.

Moderator Harris, who had been elected at the morning session, called the meeting to order and, after announcing the result of the election, swore in the following tellers: H. C. Robinson, H. A. Wheeler, G. G. Stratton and C. A. Lane.

No action was taken on the legacy to the town by the late Henry F. Johnson, the administrator of the estate, who was out of the State, preferring to wait another year.

Article 4, to hear and act upon the reports of town officers and committees was then taken up.

CENTRAL FIRE STATION.

Mr. John Challis, for the committee on Central fire station, made a report of progress, as follows:

March, 1, 1909.

The committee appointed by the Town to report upon the location and building of a Central Fire Station can only report progress. The Grade Crossings conditions are the same as they have been, so far as any report from the Commission is concerned, but we understand that a report may be expected very soon.

Your committee regrets its inability to present a report and recommendation at this time as the conditions at the present Central Station warrant speedy action on the part of the Town regarding this very important matter.

Should the Grade Crossing commission report, your committee will, as soon as practical, present its report.

JOHN CHALLIS,
NATHAN H. TAYLOR,
CLARENCE J. ALLEN, M. D.,
JAMES J. FITZGERALD,
FREELAND E. HOVEY.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Mr. Preston Pond reported for the committee on a Board of Public Works. This report which was received, was as follows:

The Committee appointed at the Annual Town Meeting held in March, 1908, to consider the advisability of the creation of a Board of Public Works for the town of Winchester, which Board upon its election should exercise all the powers, right, duties and liabilities of the Boards of Park Commissioners, Surveyor, of Highways, Water and Sewer, in said town, have carefully considered the question referred to it, and are of opinion that it would be unwise at the present time for the town to create such a Board.

While the contemplated action would not abolish the Board of Selectmen, which would sit jointly with the newly created Board as a Board of Survey, yet inevitably the powers of the Selectmen would be materially reduced and it would be more difficult to obtain citizens competent to serve upon that Board who would be willing to give their time and skill to it with the lessened responsibility resting upon the Board.

(It is recognized that the essential factor in all government is not the machinery, but the quality of men

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VESPER SERVICE.

For the vesper service at The First Cong. Church Sunday at 4.30 p.m. the choir of over thirty voices will render Gaul's Holy City. The assisting soloists will be Mr. H. Lambert Murphy, tenor soloist of the New Old South Church, Boston, and Miss Harriet A. Shaw, harpist, of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. Owing to the length of the Holy City the order of worship with the exception of the devotional exercises will be entirely musical. Doors open at 4 p.m. A cordial welcome to all.

ORDER OF SERVICE.

Organ Introduction—Contemplation.
Chorus—'No Shadow Yonder!'
Tenor Solo—'No Weeping Yonder!'
Quartet—'No Parting Yonder!'
Chorus—'No Wanting Yonder!'
Invocation.
Air (Tenor)—My Soul Is Athirst for God.
Trio—It Shall Come to Pass.
Chorus—They that sow in Tears.
Scripture Reading.
Air (Contralto)—Eye Hath not Seen.
Chorus—For thee, O dear Country.
Prayer.
Organ Intermezzo (with harp)—Adoration.
Air (Bass)—Thus saith the Lord.
Chorus—Holy, Holy, Holy, with the Lord of Hosts.
Air (Bass)—And I Heard a Great Voice.
Responsive Reading.
Air (Tenor)—To the Lord our God.
Quartet—The Fining Pot is for Silver.
Air (Soprano)—These are They.
Quartet and Chorus (Soprano and Altos)—List! the Cherubic Host.
Solo (Bass)—And I Heard the Voice of Harpers.
Chorus—Great and Marvellous.
Prayer and Benediction.
Organ Postlude—Fantasia-Rink.

W. H. S. NOTES.

At the meeting of the Athletic Association Wednesday the secretary's report of the meetings during the last two months was accepted. Walter Badger was appointed manager of the foot-ball team for next fall. It was voted that a committee be appointed to arrange for some entertainment, to be given during April vacation. The proceeds to go to the Athletic Association.

Winchester lost their last game of the schedule to Winthrop High on the latter's floor by the score of 38 to 26. The weight of the Winthrop team gave them a great advantage. The second team received their second defeat of the season to the Winthrop second team in a hard fought game by the score of 26 to 25.

Captain Foley gave his first call for battery practice Wednesday afternoon to be held in the gymnasium. The candidates who reported were Foley, Thompson, Flaherty, Mathews, Collins, Tuck and Hurd.

At quarter past ten Thursday morning, the Schubert Male Quartet of Boston, assisted by Mr. Morley, the pianist, gave a very enjoyable concert before a large audience in the Assembly Hall of the High School.

The program was as follows:

a Vocal March	Geibel
b Like the Woodland Roses	Main
Quartet	
a Standchen	Sinding
b Impromptu c Sharp Minor	Chopin
Mr. Morley	
a On the Sea	Buck
b Maytime	Billeter
Quartet	
Rigoletto Fantaisie	Liszt
Mr. Morley	
a Gay Hearts	Macy
b Reveries	Storch
Quartet	

WINCHESTER WON SECOND SERIES.

In the Knights of Columbus games last evening at Woburn the Winchester Council again won. Following is the score:

Cribbage

Winchester		Woburn	
Coty / Sullivan	3	Looney / Harkins	2
Foley / Holland	3	Callahan / Costello	1

Forty-Fives

Winchester		Woburn	
Fitzgerald / Cosgrove	4	Hearn / Reddy	13
Lynch / Haley	13	Coughlin / Cannon	7

Whist

Winchester		Woburn	
Shea / Caulfield	13	Connolly / McColgan	18
Murphy / Maguire	19	Meehan / McCartlin	22

Checkers

Winchester	Woburn
Sullivan 0	Kennedy 3
King 3	Beatty 2

Pool

Winchester	Woburn
Sullivan 60	McCarron 47
Lyons 60	Conway 38

Winchester Council 6
Woburn Council 4

JOHN G. HOVEY
Elected Town Clerk Monday—Mr. Hovey is a very popular official.

DINNER OF MEN'S CLUB.

On Friday evening, February 26, was held the annual dinner of the Unitarian Club, in Metcalf Hall. The dinner was in charge of a committee of which Mr. Clarence C. Miller was Chairman. Over one hundred men were present, including a number who are members of other churches. The speakers were men of most interesting personality, and their remarks were listened to with marked attention. They were Mr. James O. Fagan, the famous Boston & Maine signalman, and Mr. Franklin H. Wentworth, a member of the National Committee of the Socialistic party, who is regarded as one of the ablest and most eloquent of the socialistic leaders.

The speakers were ably introduced by the toastmaster, Honorable Marcellus Coggan, who, in referring to Mr. Fagan, said that he was a Scotchman who had received a common school education in England, later going to South America and South Africa as a telegraph operator, and about twenty-five years ago coming to the Fitchburg Railroad in a similar capacity. He spoke of the invitation which President Eliot had extended to Mr. Fagan to lecture at Harvard, and of President Roosevelt's interview with him.

Mr. Fagan read a carefully prepared paper on the general subject of labor unions in their relations with the railroads, and in particular spoke of the baneful influence of the seniority rule in preventing efficiency of service. What was most noticeable about Mr. Fagan was his clearness of expression, his modesty, and, at the same time, his sureness of touch in discussion this delicate question.

In introducing Mr. Wentworth, Mr. Coggan referred to him as the man who had crossed swords with President Eliot on the question of socialism, and had, according to the Boston Transcript, easily vanquished him. Mr. Wentworth is a remarkably interesting and eloquent speaker, and held the rapt attention of his auditors for more than an hour. He directed attention particularly to the incontrovertible fact that thousands of worthy men were out of employment, and that at times of industrial depression these thousands ran into the hundreds of thousands and millions. They are out of work through no fault of their own, but because of some mal-adjustment in our industrial arrangement. His discussion was not along the lines of what is commonly supposed to be socialism, for he never referred to what is ordinarily regarded as the fundamental principle of socialism, namely, an equal division of the products of the world. He laid particular stress upon collectivism, or the common ownership of the principal articles of necessity. He thought results could be achieved gradually by the Government taking over such services as the telegraph and parcels' express, followed by government ownership of the mines. Whether one agreed fully with Mr. Wentworth as to his remedy, no man could help being impressed by the serious mal-adjustment of industrial system and the necessity of some kind of reform.

On motion of Judge George S. Littlefield, a committee of five was appointed to consider the question of a permanent organization for the men's club of the church. The dinners which have been held for a number of years have all been notable for the excellence of the speaking, and it was thought that perhaps something might be gained by a permanent organization and more frequent meetings.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

The Ladies' (Dollar social) which was postponed on account of the union revival meetings from Feb. 25th, will be held Thursday evening, March 11th, in the vestry. These meetings are planning not to retard in any way the spiritual tide which is rising in our midst. A cordial and friendly handshake will be given to all those who choose to attend.

The Sunday School Board will meet with Mrs. C. U. Dunning on Tuesday evening, March 9, at 7.30 o'clock. Teachers and officers please take notice. The superintendent also wishes to announce that a men's Bible class will be organized on Sunday, March 7th, at 12 o'clock, under the leadership of Mr. L. Crouch. All men, both old and young, are cordially invited. A thorough knowledge of the Bible means power in Christian living.

On Friday evening, March 5th, will begin a series of simultaneous cottage meetings, one of which will be held at the residence of Mrs. C. U. Dunning, 18 Vine street, who will be in charge of the service. Another led by Miss Grace Snow at her residence on Forest street. A third at Mrs. Sanborn's, 100 Highland avenue, and a fourth at Mr. Herbert Cook's, Ogden avenue. Those in the respective neighborhoods are urged to take advantage of these meetings.

THANKS FOR THE STAR.

Boston, Mass., March 1, 1909.

Mr. Theo. P. Wilson,
EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The committee in charge of the Winchester Group of the Chapman-Alexander Campaign are glad to recognize the excellent service you have done in your columns, while our union Evangelistic meetings have been in progress.

The sincere appreciation found generous expression at the meeting on Friday night last when the words of the chairman of the meeting were cheered to the echo, accompanied by a unanimous vote of thanks to the STAR. And again on Sunday night at the Town Hall you were mentioned as helping to no small degree to make the campaign the success it has been.

Respectfully yours,
FOR THE COMMITTEE.

ATTENTION, BOYS AND GIRLS

The STAR has made arrangements whereby every boy and girl in Winchester under the age of 16 years can see the mammoth whale on exhibition at Otis wharf, Atlantic avenue, near Oliver street.

It weighs 15 tons, or 30,000 pounds.

It is 38 feet long.

Its tail measures 13 feet across, from tip to tip.

Its flipper, or fin, is four feet nine inches in length.

It is 28 feet around the body.

Its tongue, which could not be embalmed, and had to be removed, weighed just a ton.

Next week a coupon will be printed in the STAR which will admit the holder to see this immense whale. As no doubt there will be a big demand for that issue of the paper it would be well to speak for them in advance, so that it will be known approximately, how many papers to print.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

At the next meeting of The Fortnightly Roland D. Grant, D. D., will be the lecturer of the afternoon.

Dr. Grant—scholar, traveller, naturalist, lecturer—is a man of great information and experience. He has traveled a great deal, and he has a facility of observation which enables him to see much more than a dozen ordinary men. But the charm of his manner in telling what he has seen, and in voicing his opinions on the great questions of life, has few parallels. He is one of the most entertaining men on the American platform.

Dr. Grant's lectures are better than the Minstrels, more points of laughter and oceans of good things to carry away.

Club members are reminded that this will be the treat of the Club year.

Mr. Jerome Crosby of Webster street is still confined to his bed although a little better. Mr. Crosby has been confined to his bed for several months.

"THE KING'S BUSINESS."

Successful Series of Meetings Closed Last Sunday Evening.

The special meetings of the Chapman-Alexander Campaign in the Winchester Group continued until Sunday night which was Dr. Arthur J. Smith's last service. This remarkable series had no abatement of interest up to the last service. Such was the enthusiasm that while the union meetings ceased on Sunday evening, the several churches are continuing the work in their places of worship along distinctive lines. At the Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon and on three evenings special meetings have been held. The Methodists have arranged for several simultaneous cottage meetings in different parts of the town. And the Congregationalists will meet the new converts with a view to gather the results of this gracious harvest.

The service of Thursday evening attracted a large audience nearly filling the Congregational Church. Five special cars brought about two hundred people from Melrose where Dr. Smith carried on a remarkable work before coming to Winchester. The song service led by Mr. Allen B. Fenno was more than enthusiastic. The real work of the evangelist for the evening commenced as Mr. Fenno sang a solo most impressively, entitled "His Thought." With this tender preparation, Dr. Smith began a strong sermon, from the text:

"And he went forth again by the seaside; and all the multitude resorted unto him, and he taught them. And as he passed by, he saw Levi, the son of Alphaeus, sitting at the receipt of custom, and saith unto him, Follow me. And he arose and followed him. And when the scribes and Pharisees saw him eat with publicans and sinners, they said unto his disciples, How is it that he eateth and drinketh with publicans and sinners? When Jesus heard it, he saith unto them, They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick; I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance."

He said:

"Follow me: and he left all, and rose up, and followed Him." It is a picture of an Oriental city in the great public square. The government buildings are around them. These government buildings are filled with offices and clerks. There are Asiatics coming in and going out of these buildings; there are Hindoos in that company; we find Africans and Europeans. The Internal Revenue Collector for the Roman government had his office in Capernium. It was a busy place. Jesus had been down to the lake preaching to the people, and passing by these government buildings, saw this collector, and said to him, "Follow me," and he rose up and left all and followed Him. This man was a Jew. He had accepted a position under the Roman government as a tax collector. He was an excommunicated Jew. He was ostracized by his family and by his relatives. He was shunned by men and women and generally hated. No Jew who had any self respect and any love for his nation would accept such a position as that. Not only did he exact from the people the amount that was actually due the Roman government, but he exacted more than this, and the balance he put in his pocket. If he had been living in our day, we would have called him a grafter. The old saying that "To the victor belongs the spoil" seems to be the law and Gospel of some men in these latter days. There are some men who think it perfectly legitimate that they should profit even in an unlawful way while in office. They are a good deal like the Scotchman who is said to have kept the Sabbath day and everything else he got his hands on. There are a great many people in the world who do the same thing; they keep not only that which belongs to them, but everything else they get their hands on. Jesus had plans for Matthew even though he was a black sheep. Even though he had sunken so low, even though he had sacrificed friends and manhood, Jesus loved him and had plans for him, and when he passed his office that day with all the people about him from all the corners of the earth, Jesus said, "Follow me." Matthew rose up and left all and followed Jesus. It was the greatest event of the life of Matthew. He left his position; he left his income; he left his patrons; he left his friends; he left all and followed Jesus, and that is the greatest proof that he was converted. You know it means a sacrifice for a man to be a Christian. If I understand repentance, it means giving up sin.

It costs something to be a Christian. Matthew made a sacrifice when he heard Jesus call. What is the sacrifice that you have to make tonight if you respond to the call of Jesus Christ? There must be some sacrifice somewhere. But let me say that you never will be able to make any sacrifice in Heaven, if you reach Heaven. The only place to make a sacrifice will be here in this world, and after all the s[illegible] that He has made for us, it seems to me that there is nothing that we could not do for Him. I have often wondered what Matthew would have lost if he had not heard the call of Jesus that day. If he had not responded to the call, if he had not arisen and left everything and followed Christ. The first thing that he would have lost would have been the three years of fellowship with Christ that he enjoyed. The three years of fellowship of faith, Christ to forgive everything, Christ to forget everything of the past and to make him one of His Holy Apostles. He would have lost a three years fellowship, and that is what men and women will lose if they do not follow Christ—that fellowship with Him. There is no fellowship on earth that can take its place—no fellowship on earth, just the privilege of being with Jesus and having Jesus with us all the rest of our days.

There are angels in the presence of God tonight that would be glad to come to earth if they could do what Jesus calls you to do tonight. If they could come into this world and engage in soul-winning work, they would gladly come. We are called to a service that is higher than the angels. We are being called tonight. There are men, there are women whom Jesus Christ is calling, and He is saying, "Follow me." There is joy in this service. There is joy in almost any kind of hard work, at least to a great many people. I always used to like hard work; always had plenty of it to do. Do you know that the harder the work, the greater the joy when the work is done, and the soul winning work, even though it may be a difficult work, when the work is done and the soul is won, there is no joy in heaven or earth like it. It is a great joy that comes to the human soul when finds it is redeemed by the blood of Christ,—a great joy,—a great experience, a joy that follows full surrender. That is a great joy, but I want to tell you the joy that you experience when you turn a man from darkness to light, from sin to Christ. There is no joy in the world or Heaven like it. "They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him."

It is the will of God that all men should repent and come to the knowledge of Truth. God wants men to be saved. If you are not saved, it will not be His fault. If you are saved, it will be because you heard His call, because you rose up, left all and followed Him. It will pay, friends.

Dr. Smith closed with this appeal: "Jesus will not lead you where you would not like to go. He will not lead you in a path where you cannot tread. He will help you all the way. He will give you the strength that you need. In His strength you can follow Him. Will you do it?"

At the close of the sermon after about fifty had stood to his appeal, an after meeting quite filled the vestry, where more decisions were made.

FRIDAY NIGHT MEETING.

The Friday night meeting at the Congregational Church began with the usual fifteen minute song service led by Mr. Fenno.

Mr. Franklin P. Shumway of Melrose got on the platform. He was asked by Rev. D. A. Newton to state how they succeeded in drawing so many men at the Men's Meeting in Melrose. He replied that it was a very simple thing,—that they asked each to try his best to reach so-and-so, and still others to look out for this one and that one. His final advice was to go after the men, if you want to get them Sunday. He said that one man stated that he never had been invited by anybody except the Pastor to go to the church of Melrose, until this campaign.

Mr. Fenno sang a solo, "Will the Circle be Unbroken?" most pleasingly.

Since this was his last evening with the people, a fitting incident took place. Mr. Wooster, coming to the front of the platform, in well chosen terms expressed the appreciation felt for Mr. Fenno, as director and singer, whereupon he graciously presented him a token in behalf of the people. This seemed to overcome the recipient so that he was evidently touched by the generous expression.

The sermon was upon "Home," concerning which Mr. Smith said:

Home? What is home? Home is a refuge. Home is a haven to which we may go when the storms of life are raging about us to find shelter. Home is that place on earth that is nearest like the relationships that exist in the eternity. The church is the Bride of Christ. It is to be feared that the good old-fashioned Christian home is in danger of becoming a relic of the past. There are some homes in America that do not seem to be more than homes like those of the gopher in the field or the nests of the bird in the tree. There are some homes that are nothing but lodging houses. There are some tables

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THE OLD FREIGHT YARD CONTENTION

Interesting Legal Decision.

Some years ago the Winchester Park Commissioners and the Boston & Maine R. R. agreed that the old freight yard should be removed from Manchester Field and be relocated at the foot of Railroad Ave., on mill pond land owned by the Whitney estate. The town agreed to pay the R. R. company $7,500.00, and was to receive title to the old freight yard land, which was to be used for park purposes. The town was also to have storage yard privileges in the new freight yard.

The above arrangements were all made, a deed prepared and a town meeting called to vote the necessary money. At that meeting a letter was read, addressed to the railroad company, claiming that the most valuable portion of the land did not belong to the Whitney estate, but was possessed by one Mary H. Miller, who forbade the contemplated sale to the railroad and town. The letter was signed by Mrs. Miller's attorney, a celebrated Winchester real estate lawyer. Although much surprised the voters did not heed the statements in the legal warning, but almost unanimously voted the money needed to carry out the proposed improvement.

The railroad company, however, thought more seriously of the letter and declined to proceed after the town had fulfilled its part of the joint agreement, for the reason that it would not purchase any land with disputed title, especially when a [illegible]rge sum of money was to be spent [illegible] improvements on the land before [illegible] question of title could be settled [illegible] court. Subsequently the rail[illegible] [illegible]ought land for a new freight [illegible] a most inconvenient place f[illegible] [illegible]own and the town was ob[illegible] lig[illegible] [illegible]ay $15,000, instead of $7[illegible] [illegible]and its purchase, in order to go[illegible] the old yard in Manchester Fi[illegible] [illegible]oreover, the town owns no sto[illegible] [illegible]hts whatever in the new fre[illegible] [illegible]d.

In the [illegible] Court, owing to extreme d[illegible] [illegible]ss and a lack of serious att[illegible] [illegible] the part of a master in d[illegible] [illegible]he legal rights involved in th[illegible] case, a decision by said mast[illegible] [illegible] was appointed by the late C[illegible] [illegible]stice Mason, was set aside by [illegible] Justice A[illegible]. The Master's re[illegible] [illegible]as wholly in favor [illegible] [illegible] was not satisfied with the Master's [illegible] the Land Court and a decision has lately been rendered by Judge Davis against the Miller claim of ownership and wholly confirming the Whitney title to the land in question. The evidence in the case showed that the Miller claim to ownership cost twenty-five dollars which was paid to an heir of one Goodell who, 69 years ago, purchased a parcel of land adjoining the proposed freight yard site. It was claimed that by inadvertance or carelessness of the grantor, Samuel S. Richardson, and of the Charlestown Bank, who gave a deed releasing a mortgage on the premises, there was sold to Goodell, by a careless use of a few short words, twice as much land as either Richardson, Goodell or the bank ever knew was bargained for, including a part of the proposed freight yard site. The Miller claim was never heard of, or known to anybody, all the principals in the original sale passing away in ignorance of any such meaning to the deeds as the Miller claim contends. The decision confirms the evident every day meaning of the deeds, giving Whitney title to the land in question, as against the twisted and heretofore unknown meaning read to them by those interested in the Miller claim to title.

Now that the title of this land seems to be clear, it is to be hoped that the land will be filled up and used for business purposes. It is very close to the centre of the town, adjoining the railroad and would make a good site for coal and lumber yards, a town dumping ground, a street across the pond to "The Plains," and could be used for numerous other purposes. If the water could be drawn down, after a little drying out and a filling in of low places, it would make a beautiful green meadow park for the north part of the town. For these reasons it is well for the community that the question of title to the mill pond flats has been settled although the cost to the town, as well as the contestants, has been large. The STAR congratulates both contestants on their endurance to the end.

The following is a copy of the decision:

(Copy.)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
Middlesex ss. Land Court
No. 1735
Arthur E. Whitney
v.
Mary H. Miller

DECISION:

In this case I rule that there was released by deed of the President, Directors and Company of the Charlestown Bank and others to Goodell, dated August 11th, 1840, the right, title, interest and estate of the grantors as mortgagees in and to the same, and only the same, land as that described in the deed from Samuel S. Richardson to said Goodell dated August 11th, 1840, of the mortgagor's equity of redemption under said mortgage. This ruling renders it necessary to consider the matter of adverse possession, or further record of title.

Decree for petitioner.

C. T. DAVIS,
Judge of Land Court.

February 19, 1909.

TOWN MEETING.

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elected to office. Any form of organization is of extremely minor importance as compared with the kind and character of persons chosen to official positions.

Moreover, it would also inevitably create, in the judgement of the Committee, a further expense in the administration of town affairs which is not warranted in view of the present satisfactory methods now in force in the town and the able administration by the various Boards of the interests of the town committed to the particular charge of each.

Your Committee therefore report that in its judgment no further action is at present advisable in this matter and asks to be discharged.

ARTHUR H. RUSSELL
CHARLES F. A. CURRIER
PRESTON POND

GRADING SCHOOL LOTS.

Prof. Currier, for the committee on grading and improving school lots and the sale of a portion of the Highland school lot reported as follows, the report being accepted and the committee discharged:

Winchester, Mass., March 1, 1909.

At the annual town meeting held in March, 1908, it was

"Voted, That the subject matter of articles 13, 14, and 15 be referred to a committee of three citizens, appointed by the moderator, said committee to report at a future town meeting."

These articles were as follows:

"Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee to regrade a portion of the High School lot and appropriate money for the same."

"Article 14. To see if the Town will [illegible]

"Article 15. [illegible] will sell a part of the Eaton street lot."

On the foregoing your committee makes the following report:

(1) It is inadvisable to sell any part of the Eaton street lot, at least at the present time.

(2) In view of the considerable expense that would be involved, the regrading of the Highland School lot and of the Eaton street lot, may well await the probable easier financial condition of the Town of a few years hence.

(3) We recommend the regrading of the north-west corner of the High School lot, partly because, of the comparatively small cost of the same, and partly because for special reasons, the work can be done cheaper this year than is likely to be the case again. The expense can, in our opinion, be met by the School Department out of its appropriation for the support of schools.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. A. CURRIER
MARSHALL H. DUTCH
DAVID N. SKILLINGS
Committee.

MANUAL TRAINING.

Mr. F. E. Rowe offered the following vote which was passed:

Moved, That the School Committee be requested to consider and report to the town in the next annual report the cost of introducing and maintaining manual training in the High school; also to investigate and report upon the expediency of paying the tuition of such Winchester pupils as desire to attend the manual training high school of some other town or city.

INSPECTOR OF WIRES.

Calling up Article 13, Chairman Dwinell of the Board of Selectmen, offered a motion which was carried, that the "Selectmen be and are hereby empowered to appoint an inspector of wires."

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

It was voted to fix the number of measurers of wood and bark at seven.

FINANCIAL.

The Treasurer was authorized to borrow from time to time, $75,000 in anticipation of taxes. To raise $30,500 by taxation to meet the payments of bonds coming due the ensuing year. To raise $12,000 by an issue of notes or bonds for surface drainage work.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Interest.—$6,000 by taxation and $5,012.00 be transferred from water rates.

Ways and Bridges, $2,000 by taxation and $[illegible] from County which Cross street's rebuilt.

Town Stable—$6,500.

Snow and Ice—$1400.

Street Lights—$7300.

Incidentals—$4000.

Police—$7000.

Town Hall—$3250.

Engineering—$125.

Soldiers' Relief—$192.

July 4th—$250.

Fire Department—$10,800.

Schools—$57,500.

Manchester Field—$400.

Library—$2200 and dog tax.

Common and Public Plots—$200.

Cemetery Maintenance—$1000.

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths—$1500, $300 of this sum for salary of Tree Warden, with $3000 from the sums received on and after Dec 1, 1908, from the collections of assessments, and from the sums received from the State to reimburse the town.

Assessors Incidentals—$600.

Poor—$5000.

Health Department—$2785.

Sewer Maintenance—$1000.

Sewer Construction—$1000 and sewer receipts.

Water Works Construction—$4000 from water rates.

Water Works Maintenance—Balance of water rates not otherwise appropriated.

Clerical Assistance—$650.

Salaries of Town Officers—

Collector of Taxes	$1,400
Town Treasurer	850
Town Auditor	750
Assessors	900
Town Clerk	400
	$4,300

Memorial Day—$250.

Claim Account—$300.

This finished up the appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

Mr. F. E. Rowe offered the following under article four:

Voted, that a committee of 15 citizens, none of whom shall be town officials, be appointed by a committee of three consisting of the Moderator of this meeting and the Chairman and the Secretary of the Appropriations Committee appointed in 1908, to consider all appropriations proposed to be acted upon at all town meetings held during the ensuing year, making such [illegible]ations of town affairs as it may [illegible] expedient, and to report at all [illegible]etings the report on the approp[illegible] proposed to be acted upon at t[illegible] [illegible]ual town meeting to be [illegible] [illegible]ated with the town warra[illegible]

Mr. W. I. [illegible] [illegible]posed to the continuance [illegible] [illegible]mittee as it had a tendency [illegible] [illegible]th the old New England to[illegible] [illegible]vernment. The citizens ha[illegible] [illegible]t in town meetings since t[illegible] [illegible] was created.

Mr. J. T. [illegible] [illegible] opposed the motion, ag[illegible] Mr. Tuck that the work [illegible] [illegible]ommittee was assuming t[illegible] [illegible]e Selectmen and making th[illegible] [illegible]gure heads. It was also [illegible] [illegible]ebate, and although th[illegible] [illegible]y able men at the meetin[illegible] [illegible]s were but seldom heard [illegible] [illegible]w England town meeting was a [illegible] school for young men, and he would feel sorry to see the debates discontinued.

Mr. Rowe believed that the town meeting is too large to fully pass upon the appropriations, and that the committee was a necessity. Mr. J. F. Holland favored electing the members by ballot, same as the Selectmen are.

Selectmen Dwinell and Richards favored the continuance of the committee, but were decidedly opposed to giving it authority to investigating town officials. There was liability that the members might take more upon themselves than they should.

Mr. G. A. Woods said that this committee stood between the appropriations and the tax rate. The low rate of last year was responsible for bringing into town over $350,000 in taxable property, and this committee had done more than any other agency to keep the rate down. Abolish it and the rate would advance.

Mr. A. E. Whitney favored public hearings by the Appropriations Committee. Mr. Preston Pond favored the continuance of the committee, and Mr. T. S. Spurr said it did good work, but that he was opposed to giving it authority to investigate.

Mr. Carter believed that now was a good time to thrash out the question. There was no opposition to asking questions same as years ago, and the town can't get along without some such committees, as it was now too large.

On motion the words "making such investigations of town affairs as it may deem expedient" was stricken from the motion by the vote of 148 to 28, and on motion of Mr. Carter the following was added: "And said committee shall hold one or more advertised public meetings in the Town Hall."

The meeting then adjourned to Monday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

ROGER H. HURD AGAIN APPOINTED

Roger H. Hurd, son of Theodore C. Hurd, clerk of courts of Middlesex county, has been re-appointed to the assistant clerk of courts to serve [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] court. During his [illegible] years of service in his present position, he has been looked upon as one of the most efficient as well as the most popular clerks in the employ of the county.

TOWN ELECTION.

From appearances at the town election on Monday it would seem that the effort of the presidential election last November had completely tried out the voters. It is hoped that their apathy will not last for the next four years. Monday's election was by far the slowest and least spirited in many years. The total vote of 538, not including five women who voted on the selection for school committee, shows how little interest was manifest. No doubt this w[as] due to the absence of any contest for the offices, the Selectmen only having an extra candidate, Mr. H. Douglas Campbell, who ran on nomination papers. He was warmly supported by his friends, but the caucus nominee, Mr. Geo. B. Smith, won out, he holding the majority of votes in every block but one which was a tie.

Three votes outside the nominations were made for school committee, the voters evidently being under the impression that some of the candidates previously mentioned for this office were still in the field. Town clerk Hovey also lost one vote cast by a supporter of Geo. H. Carter.

Town Treasurer Spurr received the largest vote—473—with Collector Hovey and Tree Warden Symmes close behind with 466. The latter gentleman has cause for gratification inasmuch as his name was entirely new to the ballot.

The polls were a little tardy in opening owning to the absence of the ballot box and ballots for moderator. The box was eventually discovered behind some of the canvas on the Town Hall stage, and three ballots used in former years overcame the difficulty of the Moderator's election.

At noon the town officials and election officers were treated to their usual dinner by Dill. The election officers were: Edwin Robinson, William Vayo, Robert Sullivan, John H. Carter, Dr. C. J. McCarthy, T. Price Wilson, Edw. F. O'Connor, Sewall E. Newman, Wm. F. Fitch.

Following is a list of the candidates and votes received:

Selectmen—	
M. Douglas Campbell	314
*James H. Dwinell	437
*William D. Richards	440
*George B. Smith	348
*Peter Walling	413
*Frank W. Winn	403
Blank	967
Town Clerk—	
*John G. Hovey	459
George H. Carter	1
Blank	78
Constables—	
James P. Hargrove	451
Edward F. Maguire	438
William R. McIntosh	438
Blank	287
Tree Warden—	
Samuel S. Symmes	466
Blank	72
Collector—	
John G. Hovey	466
Blank	72
Auditor—	
William H. Herrick	455
Blank	83
Assessor—	
Fred V. Wooster	422
Blank	116
Overseer of Poor—	
George H. Carter	447
Blank	91
Treasurer—	
Thomas S. Spurr	473
Blank	65
Water and Sewer Board—	
Sanford D. Leland	428
Blank	110
Park Commissioner—	
Preston Pond	438
Blank	100
Cemetery Commissioner—	
Samuel W. Twombly	429
Blank	109
Board of Health—	
*Marshall W. Jones	424
Dr. B. T. Church	2
Blank	112
School Committee—	
*C. F. A. Currier, 3 years	376
R. B. Metcalf	1
Blank	166
*Marcus B. May, 2 years	431
L. J. Rich	2
Blank	110
[illegible] Wingate, 1 year	443
[illegible]	100
[illegible] Town Library—	
[illegible] H. Eustis	406
[illegible]	132
[illegible]	
[illegible]	59
[illegible]	398
[illegible]s	81
[illegible]ension Fund—	
[illegible]	265
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W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The next meeting of the local union will be held at the residence of Mrs. Robert Dover, corner of Vine street and Elmwood avenue. It is to be a sewing meeting in preparation for the sale to be held April 13, 14 and 15 for the benefit of the State work and members are urged to come as early as possible in the afternoon. The business meeting will be at three o'clock. Material for work will be provided but those who come are asked to bring thimble and scissors.

The Massachusetts Union is to hold a series of special meetings for prayer and conference on the first and third Mondays of each month. The first was held last Monday at Pilgrim Hall. The next will be held in Phillips Brooks Hall at the Frances E. Willard Settlement, on Chambers street. The call for the meetings says: "Let us emphasize the spiritual foundation of our work and pray that our principles, founded upon the gospel of Christ may be worked out into the customs of Society and the laws of the land."

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Notice is hereby given that the Annual Town Meeting of March 1, 1909, was adjourned to meet at the

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MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1909,
at 7.45 p. m.,

when action will be taken on Articles 10-11-12 and 14 to 29 inclusive, together with any unfinished business.

JOHN G. HOVEY,
Town Clerk.

March 3, 1909.

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EDISON ELECTRIC CAPACITY INCREASES.

Over 12,000 horse power in capacity is being added to the big turbine station of the Edison Company in South Boston. The business of the Edison Company grows so rapidly that the company must make frequent and extensive increases in its capacity. The station capacity must also be far in advance of the demand made upon it by the users of the electric light and power; so that at no time they will be handicapped by the lack of current. The change now making substitutes two new turbines with a rated capacity of over 16,000 horse power each, for the first two turbines that were put in by the company (only a little over two years ago) and which were then rated at 6,700 horse power capacity each, but which have developed over 10,000 horse power each. The new turbines will be substituted for the old ones during the coming spring and will be ready for the fall and winter business of the company.

Only a few months ago the company completed the installation of its fifth turbine generator which has a capacity of 16,000 horse power, so that now the turbine station of the company has a total capacity of over 68,000 horse power. This does not include engines and generators of older type that have a capacity of 15,000 horse power, which added to the turbine station, gives us a capacity of over 84,000 horse power in the one South Boston station.

An interesting feature of the new turbine engines is that the wheels inside the turbine revolve at a velocity which would carry any object attached to the rim of one of the wheels around in a circle at a rate of 5.2 miles per minute. The layman does not grasp how great this speed is unless he realizes that if the driving wheels of a railroad locomotive revolved at this rate a passenger could travel from Boston to New York in forty two minutes, where now the running time of express trains is five hours.

IN ONE SYSTEM.

An arrangement was announced yesterday by which the fire fighting systems of Boston, East Boston, Chelsea, Everett and Revere are practically made parts of one system. That is to say, a first alarm in East Boston would call East Boston only; a second alarm would automatically call an engine from Chelsea; another call would bring another Chelsea engine, beside those from the city proper.

Should still more help be needed, Boston would begin to draw it from Malden, Somerville, Cambridge, Everett, Revere and Winthrop.

In the meantime, the outlying towns would send in apparatus to "cover," as the Boston districts do now. The only difference between the newly adoped plan and the old order of things is that the system will work automatically, instead of needing permission from one and another town official to let the apparatus go to a point out of the town.

Winchester is to be included in the scheme.

The "pure food law" is designed by the government to protect the public from [illegible] ingredients [illegible] and drugs. It is beneficial both to the [illegible] and to the [illegible] manufacturers. Ely's Cream Balm, a successful remedy for [illegible] the head, nasal catarrh, hay fever, [illegible] contains no injurious drugs, [illegible] the requirements of the new law, and that fact is prominently stated on every package. It contains none of the injurious drugs which are required by the law to be mentioned on the label. Hence you can use it safely.

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AN IMPORTANT MATTER.

The Board of Health in their annual report give utterance to the following, which is considered of much importance:

There are few features of modern life that are capable of so direct an influence upon the health of a community as the plumbing of its buildings. Sewer gas is a deadly enemy to human life. Breathed in sufficient quantity, it kills quickly. A house contaminated by a slowly leaking sewer pipe may gradually undermine the health of its occupants and bring on a long train of evil consequences.

The Legislature of Massachusetts has safe-guarded its citizens by enacting laws that require towns to regulate the business of plumbing by appropriate rules. The enforcement of these rules is delegated to the Board of Health, who are required by statute to appoint a practical plumber as Plumbing Inspector. It is his duty to see, personally, that proper materials are used and suitable methods employed. The importance of this office can hardly be over-estimated. Its encumbent should possess, in a large degree, ability, honesty and firmness that he may protect the householder, who may be ignorant of plumbing matters, from evils against which he is powerless to protect himself. Such men cannot be hired for the wages of an ordinary laborer.

WHY THIS NEGLECT.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

While on my way to town meeting Monday evening, in order that I might allow a couple to pass me on the sidewalk, I stepped to one side and in doing so came into contact with a watering cart standpipe. The result was that my coat became smeared and also my hands with sticky black paint that had evidently just been put onto the pipe. The town compels the telephone, electric light and electric railroads to put signs on the poles when being painted, but evidently in its own case believes that it is time wasted and that anyway it is exempted from displaying these warning signs. A paint smeared coat is not half as important as this utter neglect to do itself what it compels others to do. Why not be consistent.

CITIZEN.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

John Craig will give next week the patrons of the Castle Square Theatre something of a novelty in the shape of an automobile play. Its production comes just at the moment of the great annual automobile show, and it will therefore possess a timeliness that will increase its popularity even beyond the custom of Castle Square productions. Furthermore, it will receive its first performance on the Boston stage, and that will of course give the play an added interest.

The cast of the "Lightning Conductor" at the Castle Square will include John Craig as the Hon. John Winston, Mary Young as Molly Randolph, Minnette Cleveland as Miss Kenison, Mabel Colcord as Lady Brighton, Theodore Friebus as Talleyrand, George Hassell as Jabez Barrow and Gertrude Binley as Sylvia Barrow.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Service this Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The volunteer choir sing at the Friday services.

There will be a talk on Confirmation at the church Sunday afternoon at 5.30, and also Wednesday afternoon at 4. These hours are intended to meet the convenience of all and it is not expected that one will attend both Sundays and Wednesdays.

The Mid-Week preacher will be the Rev. Endicott, D. D., head-master at Groton School. The service will be Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

THE KING'S BUSINESS.

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that are nothing but lunch counters, and there are loved ones in the homes that are nothing but servants. The good old-fashioned, bright, cheerful, Christian home is in danger of becoming a thing of the past. Ministers know that many homes are unhappy. Ministers know as well as lawyers know that things occur that seem to mar the happiness of the home. There may be a home that is called a home, a place, but it really is not home. It is only a shelter; that is, it may be just a roof, just a place to come in out of the wet,—nothing more.

In the course of the sermon he offered four suggestions as how to make homes happy.

These he explained thus:

"There is never happiness in the home without authority. I do not mean to say that we must be brutal, but I do mean to say that neither you nor your children will be happy unless you instruct them to obey,—unless there is obedience there. A friend of mine said as he approached a woman who had raised 5 boys, two of whom had gone into the ministry, 'How did you do it?' 'I did it with prayer and with hickory.' You know there is a great deal in that,—prayer and hickory.

Now, toward the south, the battlement that you should build about your home should be comradeship. "Comrades!" That used to be an old ballad. The boys used to whistle it on the street. A beautiful thought. Two comrades. Two girls. Two young men. Two friends growing up loving each other. A young couple growing up to be married. Comradeship between husband and wife and comradeship between parents and children. If you grow too old to play with your boys, you are too old to have a boy. He is too good for you. Comradeship in the home.

Another battlement in the home,—battlement of love toward the east. Love. Love between husband and wife, and between parents and children. I remember some time ago when my little girl was four years of age. She met me in the hall and putting her arms about my neck, said, "Papa, I am so glad you came home. Papa, I love you." I was glad too. Do you know that not only parents are hungry for love, but the children are hungry too, and when you get too old to tell your children that you love them, you are too old to have children. Listen! Love in the home will make it happy.

Battlement toward the west. If you expect to have a happy home, build that wall, and build it strong. The battlement toward the setting of the sun, the battlement of religion. Have religion in your home. Have a Bible there. Have a Bible that is open there. Have a Bible in the home that is opened frequently; that is, open for family prayer,—open in the morning by the breakfast table, if there is only time for a few verses. Have the Bible open at the breakfast table, and have prayers in the home. If only a short sentence or two, have prayer, or your home never will be happy. When God comes into a home, sin goes out, and when God comes into the hearts and lives of those who dwell in the home, happiness comes in. Love comes in. Everything that can be desired comes into the home.

William Shaw, Treasurer of the Christian Endeavor, while at Mount Lookout, was sitting one evening watching the setting of the sun,—a glorious sunset. After the sun had gone down he sat there dreaming, and finally he saw another man who was in the same position he was. He was dreaming too. He said that he drew up toward him and engaged in conversation, and he soon discovered that he was an earnest Christian, a locomotive engineer, and he told him how he was led to Christ. He said: "I married a Christian woman, and when our first baby came, after the little one was old enough to speak, my wife taught it to pray. The little fellow said his prayers week after week until four years of age, and one night, when I went home from my work, the baby said,—what do you think? "Mamma, why doesn't papa pray?" Said that engineer to Mr. Shaw, I did not know what to say. When I went out next day, 'Why doesn't papa pray?' kept ringing in my ears. There was no good reason why I should not pray. Why doesn't papa pray? Up and down the road I went, wondering why I did not pray, and I made up my mind that child should hear me pray. When his mother put him to bed, I went to the room, and when they knelt down, I knelt too, and when he had said his prayers and the mother had offered her prayer I prayed, and I asked God to save, and I asked God to make me a good Christian father and husband. And then we were happier in our home. We had family prayers. Some time after that I had instructions from the superintendent to leave the engine at a certain point and to take express back. I hurried out with my overalls and jumper on, took my [illegible] at the engine and started for home. [illegible] did not understand why no one sp[oke] to me. I went over to the superintendent's office. Every man hung [his] head. The superintendent did not l[ook] up, but said, "You are wanted at home." My heart began to beat faster, and I went quickly home. I saw the undertaker's wagon, and I saw the white ribbon on the door knob, and I knew an accident had occurred. Something had happened! I knelt down by the side of my wife, and she was kneeling by the form. It was an accident. He had died suddenly. He lived long enough to send a message to me: "Mamma, tell papa, when he comes home, that I am glad that he prayed. Tell him that I am glad that he prayed."

After a solo by Mr. [illegible] "Home, Home Sweet Home," [illegible] th asked: "Do you want a h[ome like th]e that,—a home that is like He[aven?] Those who wish a home like th[at, whe]ther church members or not, wil[l you k]indly rise?" A large numbe[r resp]onded with fervor. In some [cases] they rose in pairs, including m[ore than] one husband and wife.

St[illegible]

Large plans had been formed for a busy and fruitful day in The King's Business. The day opened pleasant and continued all that could be desired. The five services were well attended and the interest increased until it reached a climax in the great service of the evening when Dr. Smith closed his work in Winchester.

At the Methodist church in the morning at nine o'clock a service for young people was held. Miss Edith Waterman gave a fervent, practical talk, the burden of which was an appeal for all to do something for Jesus every day.

At ten o'clock the various congregations uniting in the Winchester Group gathered at the Town Hall for a combined service. The attendance was large, the interest was sympathetic. The sermon by Dr. Smith was a masterly appeal for a generous co-operation with the minister, as he assumes the burden of his great responsibility. Among many fine things he said:—I have come to you this morning to open the door and give you a glimpse into the inner life of your ministers so that you and they may come closer together than ever before. Not only does the minister feel the burden of the work of the Lord because of his responsibility to God, but for the desire in his heart that the people might know and realize the sins forgiven. They shake his hand and say,—"Pastor that was a great sermon", and yet they do not receive his message. When he calls them to consecration services to hold hearty service, and they do not come, that makes the burden heavier; and when he entreats those who are not communicants in the church, to come forward and confess Christ, and they do not come, that makes the burden heavier still. Many and many a night he wets his pillow with tears when you know nothing about it. They go back into the world, into the sins of the world, and many of his own people lead inconsistent lives, and when he tries to reach a man for Christ and that man [illegible] he says, "When you [illegible]" [illegible] I would only [illegible] it becomes.

I think I have seen [illegible] God, whose hearts have [illegible] been broken because of their love for you and their desire to do His will and their desire to lead the people in the way [of G]od, and then the people would not [c]ome. Do you know, friends, there is a [w]ay in which you can help to lift this [b]urden, and that is why I stand here [th]is morning. There is no greater [b]urden in the pulpit than in the pew. If [yo]u believe this Bible, the responsibility [u]pon the minister is no greater than on the laymen and laywomen. There is no higher standard for the minister than there should be for the people. There is a responsibility that rests on every child of God whether minister or layman, whether man or woman, whether adults or children. Responsibility! Responsibility! "Responsibility" means ability to respond. The world has a great need of the church as a supply for that need. The minister cannot meet the needs of the church alone. It is only as the people with the minister carry the Gospel messages to the world, to the men and women and the children in the world, and I come this morning to plead with the people of Winchester that they may meet the burden and help to lift it. You can help to lift this burden by your sympathy.

Another way to help lift this burden is by our co-operation. One man cannot lift a ton, but one hundred me[n can] carry it anywhere. It would be a [diffi]cult task for a man to lift a ton [and] often, I am afraid, the minister [illegible] lift alone. That is the reas[on that s]o little is accomplished, b[ut when] the burden is distributed, [and every] Christian man and woman [does thei]r part of the work of the church, [it go]es on easily and the blessing of God comes upon the people and the work is built up and strengthened. Same people never give a thought to religion. These meetings that have been held in the past ten days have brought an incentive to the Evangelistic Campaign in Winchester. The part that the evangelist has had in the meetings has been a very small part. From my point of view the best part of this work has been done by the ministers who have sown the seed so faithfully. He is only an extra hand at harvest time. The work that has been done in Greater Boston during these last days is but an incentive to the Evangelistic meetings here. The meetings will not close today. The meetings do not close when Dr. Chapman leaves the city,—they have only begun. The work is really just beginning now, and it is going on for months and years to come.

This impressive sermon closed with an expression of a willingness to help lift the burden of the ministers. Fully a hundred made this encouraging response.

At three o'clock two separate services were planned—one for ladies in the Congregational church and another for men in the Town Hall. Both were well attended.

Prof. A. E. Brown, the music director of the town schools, sang most acceptably at each place. And the Beethoven quartette delighted greatly the men at the Town Hall. They took the floor five times and were applauded each time to the encore. Dr. Smith was particularly happy in the way he called them up. At one time he requested them to sing a selection which had given so much pleasure the previous Wednesday evening. At another he inquired as to the railroad time table. Where after he suggested they must sing as [illegible]

[illegible] feature [illegible] which was [illegible] Dr. Smith has delivered [illegible] Broken [illegible] His [illegible] breaks through the restraints offered by religion will suffer the result of sin. He cited as [illegible] law, the [illegible] the church, the home, the conscience. Who[ever] disregards these saving restraints, explained Dr. Smith, must surely feel the sting of sin, like the bite of a serpent in a hedge. At the conclusion of a most manly appeal, he offered Jesus Christ as an effective cure.

With the accompaniment of the tender strains of a hymn he pled with men to ask God's help in their lives. A large company soon stood before the platform to declare their willingness to lead the Christian life. The enthusiasm was so great that as men and boys went forward the rest cheered lustily th[e] manly stand thus made. Altog[ether] the service was an evidence [of the] preacher's power and the [illegible] seriousness of the several [illegible] of Winchester present.

At the ladies' servic[e illegible]n by the Rev. Herbert [illegible]son of the Warren A[venue Ba]ptist [church,] Boston. His [illegible] ender discourse se[illegible]th of [illegible] longing f[illegible] He con[illegible] from [illegible] experience [illegible], the app[illegible] religious co[illegible] Pastor, S[illegible] of Boston. [illegible]

[illegible] thought it was long ago when a child. It is not to me, this world, at all what I thought it was when a child. They do not know what it is yet. When I first arrived in the world I thought it was a kind of a Paradise. I was born and raised in the far west in the state of Oregon. It is a wonderful commonwealth. I wish you might see our mountains, great white peaks that rise more than a thousand feet in the air. And what a sky we had in that country, like the Italian sky, and what stars,—like great shining tapers by night,—tapers of gold! And what rivers in that land, rivers that do not get low in the summer time! And all the summer long the great rivers by which I was born went bounding and singing by, and what trees and what flowers! You do not know what wild flowers are in this world. Thousands of acres, mile after mile, of wild flowers in that land. I had father and mother and friends. I enjoyed the little red school-house, the base ball and other sports. It was a Paradise for me until that first day when I for the first time knew death and the other boys in the school went with me down to the Methodist Church to see the face of the boy who had been drowned. It was my friend, and that was the first dead body I had seen,—the first shadow that had come into my life,—but there have been many since. The old school-house has gone, and father has been dead and buried for years, and mother is getting feeble and gray and old, and the friends that I loved have gone to the ends of this world, and the world is not what I thought it to be when a child, and you know that I cannot stand it, and you are so constituted that you cannot stand it, and our hearts cry out,

"Oh, for the touch of the vanished hand,
Oh for the sound of the voice that is still."

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An ex-Mayor of Melrose, in speaking of the good work done by Rev. Mr Smith in Melrose, said: "We shall never be the same community again," and that "No series of meetings in fifty years has so deeply stirred Melrose." The same will apply to Winchester. No estimate can be made whatever of the good accomplished here by the revival services. The Churches are already feeling the effect of them, and will for a long time to reap profit by them. Many people who do not attend church have decided to think and that [illegible] step in the direction [illegible] while many others of church have been [illegible] in their religious [illegible] these meetings [illegible] all in [illegible] results [illegible] good.

Return Thanks.

We are profoundly grateful for the words of commendation bestowed upon the STAR and its Editor at the revival services held at the First Congregational church last Friday evening and also at the Town Hall last Sunday evening, for the part taken in making these services so successful. It is seldom that such praise is accorded a paper and its editor, hence these kind words have done much during the past few days to lighten the burdensome drudgery that falls to the lot of the publisher of a suburban paper. If the STAR has helped to make the meetings a success—and they certainly were—then its editor is satisfied.

The STAR, in common with all surburban papers, is always pleased to assist in every good work—religious, social and moral—and do all in its power to promote the welfare of Winchester. Again, we repeat, a kind word or a pat on the back often lightens many weary burdens, even those borne by an editor.

WILL NOT REPLY TO BOARD OF HEALTH.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I have been urged to reply to my friend's (Mr. Ives of the Winchester Board of Health) communication in last week's STAR seemingly throwing the blame upon me for the unfortunate state of affairs at the town reservoirs. I think best, however, not to reply in full to the gentleman at this time as he could not disapprove my statements in a STAR article before the next session of the town meeting. I do not want to take this advantage of him and I can see no particular harm in allowing his statements to stand as they are seemingly so very incorrect they answer themselves and certainly do not hurt me. For instance, he says "the right to fish was as free and untrammeled before the vote as it appears to have been since." If the gentleman had looked up the record (as such a young citizen ought) he would have found that fishing in the reservoirs has invariably been very much "trammeled" and subject to great restrictions ever since the water works have been established. Fishing through the ice has never been allowed until this winter, when the Board of Health, by the vote of the town last March absolutely controls the situation. If Mr. Ives had only looked back two years he would have found these words in the report of the Water Board, (the seemingly Siamese twin of the Board of Health): "Acting under the town's chartered right to maintain a supply of pure water, we have decided to prohibit fishing and skating at the reservoirs and any access to them." It would seem that fishing in the reservoirs was not quite "untrammeled," only two years ago when no one could even have access to the water, much less the fish. One could not even walk on the ice one year ago without being ordered off by the park police. Plenty of law then to stop fishing and "trespassing" but none now! What has become of the law is a very interesting question which the Board of Health will probably answer to their own satisfaction at the next town meeting, which I hope will be well attended. All good citizens like to see Winchester town officers clear themselves of seemingly mistaken action and no one will be more pleased than the writer to see the Board of Health vindicate itself of blame for the present inexcusable use of the reservoirs, although personally I do not want the board to vindicate itself at my expense, as the citizens themselves voted for restricted fishing, I supplying one vote only. Simply acknowledging the communication therefore at this time and thanking Mr. Ives for his exceedingly courteous language.

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Tribute to the Nobility of the Medical Profession.

To enter the medical profession is to find oneself in most noble company. When Dante was led by Virgil into the presence of "the master of them that know" he saw Aristotle surrounded by a group of the sages of antiquity. Look at them as they are introduced one by one, and you will see that a fourth of them bear names illustrious in medicine. To take note of but one—Hippocrates is there. The student will not turn to his pages now to learn what has to be taught in modern text books or class rooms. Yet he will do well to lay to heart the spirit that guided "the father of medicine" in drawing up the oath imposed on the students of the Hippocratic school. "With purity and with holiness," the candidate was made to swear, "I will piss my life and practice my art. Into whatever houses I enter I will go into them for the benefit of the sick, will abstain from every voluntary act of mischief and corruption."

In the long succession of those who have enlarged the bounds of his science the student will meet with a great army of men who have kept the spirit of that oath under higher sanctions than were open to the pioneers whom the mediaeval poet consigns to a place in his inferno because, though blameless of sin, they had not been baptized.—Sir Alexander Simpson in London Quiver.

The Old Egg.

"New York is no longer young and unsophisticated," said a man who has visited all the old world capitals. "She has now all the weariness and vice of Paris, London and Rome. They who still speak of New York as young, childish, innocent, remind me of Lord Exe of the Carlton.

"Lord Exe, at seventy, tried to lead the life of a youth of twenty-five. He dyed his hair, wore a corset and frequented the music halls, Piccadilly circus and the Burlington arcade. One afternoon as he drove from the Carlton in his brougham a member said, smiling:

"'There goes Exe. He told me over a whisky and soda just now that he felt as fresh as a two-year-old.'

"Another member sneered.

"'He probably meant a two-year-old egg,' he murmured."—New York Sun.

Hugo and Merimee.

It is probable that with the exception of Byron no great literary genius ever was greeted with such a storm of vilification and abuse as Victor Hugo when he published "Les Miserables." While the book took the public literally off their feet, almost all Hugo's rivals united in condemning it and its author.

Prosper Merimee wrote in reference to a dinner given to Hugo at Brussels:

"Have you read Victor Hugo's speech at the dinner given to him by Belgian librarians and other scoundrels of Brussels? His statements were without depth, solidity or common sense. He is a man who intoxicates himself with words and does not take the trouble to think."

Victor Hugo retorted by writing to a friend, "M. Merimee is a man naturally vile."

As the Twig Is Bent.

"I hope you were a good little boy while at your aunt's and didn't tell any stories," said his mother.

"Only the one you put me up to, ma," replied her young hopeful.

"Why, what do you mean, child?"

"Why, she asked me if I'd like to have a second piece of cake I said, 'No, thank you; I've had enough.'"—Harper's Weekly.

Not What She Meant.

Tardy Arrival at a Dinner Party—I'm afraid I am too late, dear Mrs Smith. Mrs. Smith (effusively)—Oh my dear, you could never come too late!—London Illustrated Bits.

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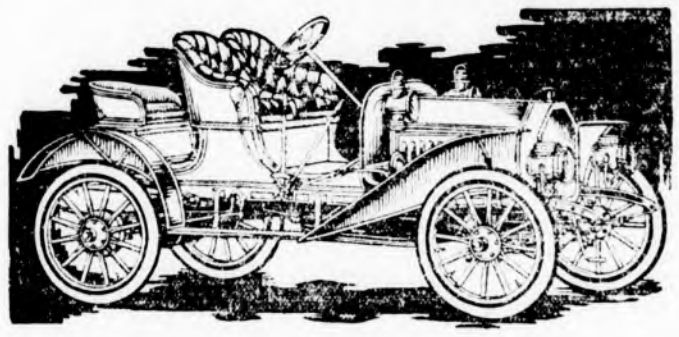

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OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Only one contest, and that of little interest, made the annual town election a dull affair with the smallest vote for many years. For the first time the polls were not opened on time, although the time set was later than usual. Somebody or bodies blundered and there was no good excuse for it.

Voting on measures by ballot in the morning without any discussion in town meeting is thoroughly bad practice and only goes to show how we are getting further and further away from democratic principles.

After voting $200,000 in the evening at the rate of $10,000 a minute and without a yip, it was high time the meeting woke up and inquired why have a meeting at all. But there is plenty in the warrant yet to discuss, and it should and will be. This is the one time in the year for citizens to ask questions and find out about their public affairs, if they do not a vote should be passed to appoint another committee to consider all articles in the town meeting warrants which do not call for appropriations of money, then they will not have to think about anything.

The Eaton street lot committee does some queer reasoning in its report. It says that until the town is in better financial condition it should not spend any money to grade the lot. Here is $10,000 worth of land that the town has and will have no use for. The interest loss is about $400 a year. It can sell it just as it is without grading, when it will be built upon and the whole locality improved. Why hold it any longer? The financial condition of the town is first class and will continue so.

Investigate in connection with appropriations was the motion, but citizens thought it mean to investigate the conduct of officials, and the latter evidently took the same view. Appropriating money is only a part of it, getting it well expended is the other, and who is to look into it? For example the highway department will have about $43,000 to spend this year. Will the citizens keep watch of it?

The Town Hall never looked so untidy as it did election day. On the ceiling of the small hall are cobwebs as big as wasps nests. Where are the eyes of the sub-committee?

In this town the public documents are sent to the town clerk who turns them over to the library. So no change of anykind is called for, nor was there for an article in the warrant.

If we are going to hang onto the unneeded and unused Eaton street lot, are we also going to hang onto the Linden street dwelling house and still collect no rent for it? Why do the Selectmen throw away this rent? What right have they to do it? It's queer business, and queerer still that no citizen calls for an explanation.

It was unfortunate that no citizen who had previous experience on the Selectmen or Water and Sewer Board was placed upon the committee on a board of public works. Apparently this committee held only one or perhaps two meetings and made almost no investigations. If it had it would have found that the boards give practically no personal supervision to the work and that some of them rely entirely upon their employees for everything. No private business could be carried on successfully in any such way, neither can public business. This as well as all other reports of importance should be printed in the town report so that they may be read and considered beforehand and not have them spring in town meeting.

What He Was Allowed to Do.

A Presbyterian delegate who was accustomed to being sent to denominational conventions to extend fraternal greetings was delegated to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Rising to speak, he said it was always an interesting study to him to note the different receptions accorded him at the conventions of the various denominations.

"Whenever I attend a convention of the Episcopal church, for example," said he, "I find I can do anything I like except preach in the pulpit. When I go before the Baptist church I am accorded every privilege except that of taking communion. And," he said, with a smile, "when I appear among the Methodists I notice I am allowed every privilege except taking the collection."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Housekeeping In Papua.

European housekeeping in Papua is charmingly simple. Everything arrived in a tin, for the most part ready for us. Meat, milk, butter, vegetables—all stood in tins in neat rows in the storeroom. A diet of tinned stuffs grew rather monotonous at times, but we were able occasionally to vary it. Sometimes a man would arrive with a live turtle, which he would sell for two sticks of tobacco, costing threepence. The wretched turtle would be killed and cut up, but would still insist on quivering in a most realistic manner even when placed on the fire to cook. Then, too, if the season was a good one, the kitchen would be found lined with joints of wallabies, and it would be hard to know what to do with so much fresh meat.—Wide World Magazine.

Witty Sayings.

W. S. Gilbert said of Beerbohm Tree's Hamlet that it was "funny without being coarse."

During an Englishman's lecture in New Haven the usher said to a late comer: "Please, sir, take your seat as quietly as possible. The audience is asleep."

A Philadelphia woman said: "Of course there will be no marriage in heaven. There will be plenty of women there and a few men, but none any one would care to marry."

Chicken Cheese.

Boil two chickens until tender, take out all bones and chop the meat fine. Season to taste with salt, pepper and butter, pour in enough of the liquid to make it moist, then put into a mold. When cold turn out and cut in slices.—Boston Post.

Seeing the Scenery.

"Did your wife enjoy the Swiss scenery?"

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That is the cry in the hearts of every man and every woman who have really suffered and knows the life as it is, and you know I speak the truth. We need God.

I went with Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander to the last theatre service where the clown was converted. When [illegible] ose to speak, the theatre [illegible] th bad boys and girls [illegible] up to speak, he stood [illegible] lars against which were [illegible] one on the right and one on the left. When Mrs. Asher arose to sing, she stood between those same grinning figures with their false faces and false hair. I looked around on the men and women there, and the pathos of the whole thing came upon me. This miserable five-cent show was packed full with men in need of God, and yet not knowing their need, trying to satisfy their needs in that place.

Do you want to be more earnest about the King's Business than you have been? I would like to be. I would like to be a different kind of minister than what I have been. Would you not like to be a better woman in your church, more useful in the King's business than you have ever been?

In the evening at the Town Hall came the final service of the Winchester campaign, the last sermon of Dr. Smith and the much regretted leave-taking that closed a day never-to-be-forgotten.

Mr. Wooster led the assembling congregation in the singing of the spirited Alexander songs. By eight o'clock the Town Hall was full with an audience numbering about 1100. Upon the platform sat some of the general committee, the pastors and other workers. Mr. Frederic S. Osgood made an announcement concerning the free-will offering for the Evangelist. Then envelopes were distributed, thereby giving Winchester people a final chance to make practical expressions of their appreciation of Dr. Smith's valued service. Before taking his seat, Mr. Osgood showed a fine half-tone reproduction of Dr. Smith's portrait, personally signed with his autograph. The small edition placed in the hands of the pastors for distribution was quickly taken; so that a large edition has been since printed, which may be secured of the pastors by any who wish this beautiful reminder of one who has brought so much good to our town.

The Rev. D. A. Newton, upon the arrival of the Evangelist, voiced the sentiments of all, by remarks in which he thanked the committees for their effort in planning so successful a campaign. He paid a fitting tribute to Dr. Smith, which called forth great applause by the people and gracious response from Dr. Smith.

In the course of his remarks he repeated his praise of the local newspaper, as he had done on Friday night. He expressed the conviction that the Winchester STAR had earned a commendation for the happy way it had promoted by its columns the success of the King's Business in Winchester and the sentiment was heartily endorsed, as the large congregation applauded his references.

Before announcing his text, Dr. Smith said: "Just a word to those who have begun the Christian life.

The ideal Christian life is the life that pleases God. If you would lead the ideal Christian life, there are three things you need to do every day. First, to read your Bible every day like the Bereans. If you let a day go by without reading your Bible, you will miss it, but form the habit of daily Bible reading, getting up earlier to do it, and you will succeed in the Christian life. Second, is the rule of prayer. Pray every day. Have regular habits of prayer, morning and night,—sometimes at noon. David prayed three times a day, and so did Daniel and others. Out of the busy moments of the day take a little time, if only a moment. I have done more praying on my feet than on my knees,—possibly more on the street than in church. The fact is we ought to pray when in special need. You can always keep in touch with God and you can lead an ideal Christian life. You will lead others to Christ. Let your life be a prayer. Pray without ceasing. Be constantly in touch with God. Be in communication with Him at all times. The third rule is the rule of service. Try to help someone when you begin the work of the day, ask God for a blessing upon your soul.—'O, God, bless me that I may be a blessing to some needy one today. Help me to help somebody else.' If you make a prayer like that, you will be a happier man, a happier woman, and more useful. These three rules; above all, if you have just begun Christian life, you ought to seek admission to the church at the earliest possible opportunity. I was talking to a woman some days ago, and she told me when she went away to college, she was tempted in many ways, tempted to joy and to sin, tempted to go where she ought not to go, but she said the fact that she was a member of the church kept her steady all those years during which she was away from home. You need the influence of the church, and you ought to be in the church, therefore I urge you to join some church at the earliest possible moment. Don't go into the church to see what you can get, but see what you can give."

His sermon was on the subject of Conversion, the text being—"Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." He explained that conversion is merely a turning about from worse to better life. With wonderful simplicity, yet with great clearness, he portrayed his subject. His impressive discourse contained these ideas:—"There are a great many experiences in conversion. There are just as many different experiences as dispositions. I wonder if it ever struck you as remarkable that there are no two faces in this audience, that are just alike? Just as your faces differ from others, so do your dispositions differ. There are no two dispositions in this company tonight that are just alike. Did you ever stop to think about it? I don't suppose you folks keep house just alike. Your dispositions are different. All dispositions differ. Neither will you have the religious experience like that of anybody else. Did you ever stop to think of that? Some church members here tonight have been wondering whether they are Christians because they have had no experience like some others.

There are three blind men whose eyes Jesus opened. Suppose we call those blind men to testify to us tonight. The man who met Jesus, 'You were born blind, were you not?' said Jesus. 'Yes sir, I was born blind.' He just stepped down and he picked up a little clay and he told me to rub a little of the clay in my eyes, and then he said to go somewhere and rub the dirt out, and I washed my eyes out, and I was amazed to find I could see.' That was his experience.

Call up Bartimeus, the man of Jericho. Jesus was going into Jericho and this man called upon Him and said, 'Son of David, have mercy on me.' How did he get his eyes opened? What did Jesus do to him? Let him give his experience. He said that Jesus simply spoke to him, and said, 'Receive thy sight.' 'He did not put any dirt in my eyes, but just spoke to me. My eyes opened, and I saw Him first.

Call up another man. He stands on this platform. He says, 'When I heard Him, I called upon Him to give me my sight, and He just touched my eyes.' He dealt differently with every one of those men. If you study the New Testament you will find He dealt differently with everybody. No two people were converted just alike. Zaccaeus was up in a tree, and when Jesus passed by He said, 'Come down.' When Jesus passed Levi's office, He said, 'Follow me.' Both were converted, but they had different experiences. And so will you. You will have a different experience from mine. May I know I have been converted? Yes, indeed. God wants you to know.

There was a man here this afternoon from Melrose. Ten days ago he did not know whether he was a Christian or not. He was not a church member. Last Friday night, over in the church here, he made his testimony. He knows he is saved tonight. He said so this afternoon.

We may know we are saved in four ways: First, by the change in our affections, if we love the things of God and the people of God. John 1:14. 'And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father) full of grace and truth'. You love the people of the God more than the people of the world. If you love the work of God more than the people of the world, it is an evidence that you are saved. Then, too, 'If any man be in Christ Jesus, he is a new creature'. Old things passing out of life. The things that we once loved, we now hate, and the things that we once hated, we now love. Again,—the spirit Himself witnesseth with my spirit that I am a child of God. We may know we are saved upon the testimony of God. The spirit will not testify and witness to your spirit if you are now a child of God, until you believe what God says in His word. 'He that believeth on the Son of God hath the witness in himself'. 'He that hath the Son, hath life'. I thank God that I know on the authority of His word by the testimony of His spirit and by the change in my life, and the change in my affections, that I am now a child of God, and so may you. When you turn from sin, when you turn unto Christ, when you surrender to Him, taking Him at His word, he will do the rest.

Dr. Johnson told me this afternoon that the work in Greater Boston was a genuine work. I was inviting him to come to New York. We expect to have a great simultaneous campaign in the metropolis, the greatest undertaking every inaugurated in this country. I said that I wanted to wait about six months to know the results, and he said.—'I know what the results are going to be. They are going to be genuine, permanent'.

In making his last appeal, he characterised the present revival in the following terms:

The revival of 1909 in Greater Boston will be remembered one hundred years from now as one of the greatest revivals that Boston ever experienced. You never knew anything like it in the history of the state. Never have there been twenty-five or twenty-six meetings going on at the same time with twenty to thirty thousand people in the audience every night. Never has it been in the city. Never has it been so easy as today to preach the Gospel. I have heard men in this vicinity for many years say that I have been engaged in Christian work in New England since those days and I know there has been a time when it was so easy to p[illegible] Christ as today. It never will [illegible] easy for you to become a Christi[illegible] tonight. It is in the air. Do [illegible] know there are times when God [illegible] nearer to a community than at other times. There are times when it is easier for men and women to decide for Christ. It is easy for a man to say 'With God's help I will surrender to God. With God's help I will give my life to his service.' It will be a great deal easier to do it tonight than a year from tonight because so many others have been taking the right step. It is the manly thing to do.—It is the heroic thing to do. There is nothing heroic about sin or unbelief. There is nothing heroic in resisting the influences of God, God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, calling you, calling me, night after night. God is here. He is in those meetings, up and down these aisles, in and out these seats, speaking to you as an individual, calling you by name, saying, 'Come unto me'. You can say 'Yes' or 'No'. You can fall in with God's plan or defeat it, just as you will. God has given you your free will. You can say 'Yes' to God or you can say 'No.' God's call to you is a blessing. It is a call to peace, a call to morality.—Yes, it is a call to service. There is no service in Heaven or on earth like it. The winning of souls. Will you respond tonight? Will you respond tonight? 'Where he leads me, I will follow.' Will you stand and say that verse? If you are a church member and feel that your love for Him has grown cold and that your interest in the service for Christ is not as it should be, will you come back tonight? Will you say it by rising?"

All the chorus of "Where He leads me I will follow" was sung, the opportunity was given for those who desired, to rise. Many did so. Then came the benediction. Many went up to shake hands with Dr. Smith. Several workers lingered for a final parting. Then came to an end this union plan of the Winchester part in the great Boston Awakening of 1909.

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"'We must teach Lady Blank a lesson,' he growled. 'At the same time scandal must be avoided.' He thought a moment, then said to the stewardess: 'Take one of the ink wells and leave the other. That'll show her.'"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Spoiled by the Cook.

Cardinal Manning, the famous English churchman, was gaunt of face. The great ecclesiastic's appearance was so ascetic that he seemed to have been almost starved. Once in Liverpool he visited a convent, and the cook knelt to him for a blessing, which she got.

"May the Lord preserve your eminence," said she, and then, looking at his thin face, she added, "and, oh, may God forgive your cook!"

Insisted on a Change.

London Coster (meeting village Idiot)—Oo are yer a-larfin' at? Idiot—Oi bean't a-larfin'. Coster—Well, put your face straight. Idiot—It is straight. Coster (exasperated) — Well, then, bloomin' well bend it.—London Tatler.

An Early Riser.

Mrs. Hicks—You mean to tell me that you have a servant girl who gets up in the morning without being called? Mrs. Wicks—Yes. She's in love with the milkman.—Boston Transcript.

The Wise Way.

"We should all strive to forgive our enemies," remarked the wise guy.

"Yes, then they won't be so apt to get back at us," added the simple mug.—Philadelphia Record.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Anthem, "There is a green hill far away," Lord Henry Somerset.

Reception of new members.

Observance of the Lord's Supper to which all Christians are invited.

12 m. Sunday School. Lesson "Philip and the Ethiopian." Acts 8:26-40.

4.30 p. m. Regular Monthly Vesper Service. The choir will render Gaul's Holy City. The public are very cordially invited to attend.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. This will be a testimony meeting for all the young people as well as a consecration service for the members. Topic—"Life lessons for me from Psalms." Ps. 16: 1-11.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.—4 p. m. The regular meeting of the Mission Union will be held in the vestry. Luncheon will be served at noon followed by the meeting of the Executive Board at two o'clock. Mrs. Ida Woodbury of the American Missionary Association will speak at 2.30 o'clock. As Mrs. Woodbury is a speaker of unusual interest the Ladies of the Western Missionary Society are cordially invited to join with the Mission Union in this afternoon meeting.

4.00 p. m. The members of the February and March Social Groups will please meet at the vestry. A large attendance is much desired.

4.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet in the small vestry. Learn lesson six. Review the previous lessons. Let every member be present if possible.

7.45 p. m. Mid-week meeting for prayer, conference and fellowship. This will be an echo meeting of the evangelistic services. All young people who can sing are invited to join the choir of young people who are going to help in the singing every Wednesday evening.

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Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

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Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, and Communion Service, with preaching by the pastor on the theme, "The Value of the Christian Church." Text: "The church of the living God," 1 Timothy III. 15. Reception of new members.

12.15 p. m. Bible School and meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.15 p. m. Meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society, led by Mr. J. B. Tanney, Director of the Religious Department of the Boston Y. M. C. A.

6.15 p. m. Gospel service, with brief sermon by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week prayer and conference meeting.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Second Sunday in Lent.

10.30 a. m. Holy Communion and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

3.30 p. m. Talk on Confirmation.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hedge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship. Albert Edmund Brown, Soloist, will sing, "Trusting in Thy Love," by Gardner, and "Rock of Ages" by Remick. Sermon by the Pastor.

11.30 a. m. Communion Service.

12 m. Sunday School.

5.00 p. m. Prudential Committee will meet those who wish to unite with the church.

6.00 p. m. Young People's meeting. Mr. Roy Goodwin will lead.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service. Chorus Choir. Preaching by the Pastor. (Subject to change.

Wednesday, 3.00 p. m. Earther Lights will meet with Miss Doris Johnson, 7 Webster street.

Wednesday, 7.45. Prayer meeting. (Subject to change.)

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. Pastor's subject: "The man Christ Jesus."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. Ernest E. Eustis.

7.00 p. m. Vespers. Preacher, Rev. Roderick Stebbins, of Milton, Mass. An augmented choir will sing Gounod's "Gallia," and Mr. Percival Metcalf's anthem, "Praise Jehovah."

Thursday 3.00 p. m. Ladies Friendly Society. Miss A. E. Howard, of Brookline, will speak on "The Post office Mission." Food sale. Tea will be served.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John E. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship. Sing[illegible] ing by the quartette. Sacrament Service. Reception of members.

12.00 m. Sunday School in chur[illegible] vestry. Lesson, "Philip and [illegible] Ethiopian."

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. T[illegible] "The Son's Bread." Mrs. [illegible] leader.

Evening service [illegible] an[illegible] mon by the [illegible] Cheers. [illegible] from t[illegible] ander Book.

Tuesday, 7.4[illegible] [illegible]ds [illegible] Board.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise.

Thursday. All day sewing meeting of the Ladies Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Cook, 10 Ogden avenue.

Thursday evening there will be an Experience Party with entertainment and refreshments in the vestry.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Cottage prayer meetings.

There will be a union service at the Congregational Church a week from Sunday night. The speaker will be announced later.

Remember the Cottage prayer meetings to night.

The Rice God.

In the Malay peninsula, after a general propitiatory service has been held as an "apology" to the rice for cutting it, the "rice soul" is diligently sought. First the spot where the best rice grows is selected; then seven stems are chosen, each having seven joints. Within this sacred bundle resides the soul of the whole precious field, and, dressed in swaddling clothes like a live infant, it is borne home in a basket and tenderly, reverently, placed on a new sleeping mat.

After the rice harvest in Ceylon the priests take a little old god called Mareil down to the river. A hole is dug where the water is shallow, and into this is crammed a bag of dry rice, with the god placed on top. The saturated rice expands, forcing the image upward, so that in about fifteen days it comes to the surface and is welcomed as a new god with acclamations of great joy.

Both in China and Japan are held special festivals of thanksgiving and offering up of first fruits.—Los Angeles Times.

Luck In Gol

Luck, as will readily [illegible] is a factor that ente[illegible] into golf. Perhaps the most notable case on record is that of Jamie Anderson when competing for the championship at Prestwick in 1878. He had just teed his ball for the seventeenth drive when a little girl standing among the spectators remarked that he had unconsciously placed it just in front of the proper line. Although nobody else had noticed the fact this proved on examination by the referee to be correct. Thereupon Anderson teed his ball again in a fresh position well behind the line and made a drive which landed him in the lead and eventually enabled him to win the match. If, however, he had placed it from the original spot he would have been penalized a stroke and have lost the championship. Clearly, then, luck on the links is something to be taken into consideration whatever nonbelievers may say to the contrary.—Bailey's Magazine.

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By FREDERICK [illegible].

BOSTON, Feb. [illegible]

[illegible] Jordan Hall of the [illegible] there is still awaited [illegible] the first [illegible] of a song [illegible] piece of music [illegible] known as the song form, fitted to [illegible] the words and the ideas of a fine old Irish poem. The composer's problem was stated beforehand in the literary production, for the stanzas were printed on the programme—each involving a different sentiment, as might be seen by reading.

Thereafter came the presentation, from the manuscript of the simple but subtle music written by George W. Chadwick, composer, director of the New England Conservatory of Music, dedicating this latest work of his in song form to F. Morse Wemple, a member of his faculty, whose recital was just closing. As the song progressed, those at all familiar with musical technique—and in a city where there are ten thousand music students that meant most of the audience—appreciated fully the skill with which without breaking up the unity of the work the character of the music shifted, in accordance with the changing moods of a characteristic piece of Celtic literature.

And that, of course, is the mark of the song composer as distinguished from the writer of popular songs—that ability to make music express and interpret the moods of a piece of lyric literature whether it be grand or trivial. In the merely popular song you get no play of varied and contrasting emotions, but just the same jingle jangle repeated through stanza after stanza. One musical motive keeps our friend "afraid to go home in the dark" all the way through a long series of verses. But the composers of really excellent song music follow the changes of the poet's thought.

So that this wedding of poetry and music in the "song form" is something more ambitious than arranging a sing-song for the accompaniment of the words of "Poor John."

That the United States is slowly but surely developing a school of composers who are capable of producing song sketches similar to those which the great Germans have made popular, is becoming apparent to observers who are watching the increasing interest in musical composition in this country. These songs based on literary motives are certainly taken more seriously now than a few years ago when Robert Franz, one of the greatest of all song composers, wrote to his friend Louis C. Elson, the well known Boston music critic and Conservatory teacher: "In this country they have looked quite condescendingly upon these small forms, taking a silly notion that these forms arise only incidentally in music. Yet the song-form is really one of the chief foundations of our art; I know you share this conviction with me."

A surprising number of pioneer workers in this field of writing songs that rise above the level of topical or popular airs has appeared in the last twenty years.

We have as a foremost figure among the writers of this kind of music Mr. Chadwick himself, not by any means exclusively a song composer, for his published works include the opera Judith, several symphonies, choral works, string quartettes and the magnificent Ode for dedication of the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893. In the midst, however of a very active career as director of the largest and best equipped musical conservatory in the world, and of various duties as conductor, Mr. Chadwick has found time to write a long series of small sketches in song form. Mr. Chadwick has always been a strong believer in the value to the musician of writing these short pieces. So, too, has his former pupil, Horatio W. Parker, now professor of music at Yale University and author of the celebrated "Hora Novissima." One of Mr. Parker's ambitious achievements as a young boy was to set fifty of Kate Greenaway's poems [illegible]

[illegible] to poems of Robert Burns.

Among American composers who have written successful songs have been several who studied music under the late Professor Rheinberger at Munich—a teacher whose influence is still greatly felt in American musical education, since among his many pupils were George W. Chadwick, Arthur Whiting, Henry H. Huss, Wallace Goodrich, now dean of the New England Conservatory of Music, and [illegible]. [illegible] of [illegible] Rheinberger [illegible] Mr. Bullard [illegible] his "Stein Song" [illegible] songs. He was a [illegible] was as Mr. [illegible] has written [illegible] well in the laws of form and harmony, which is a marvel in these days when so many composers feel that every emotion must break at least six rules of harmony." His "Stein Song" is sung at every gathering of college men, and others of his musical lyrics are almost equally well known.

Other excellent song composers who have done pioneer work in this country are Ethelbert W. Nevin, son of a newspaper editor at Pittsburg, a very talented musician who studied at Boston and Berlin in the early eighties and who died young, after producing several exquisite works; Clayton Johns, born in Delaware in 1851 and educated in Boston, where he has since lived, gaining great favor by his skill in setting to music poems by Austin Dobson, Oliver Herford, and Arlo Bates; Otto Dreisel, a German by birth who living in this country between 1850 and 1890 first acquainted Americans with the real nature of the song form; George Laurie Osgood, teacher, composer and conductor in Boston from about 1875, a Harvard man whose "Wake not but hear me, Love," is a favorite with college glee clubs; Frank Lynes, born at Cambridge, Mass., in 1858, a former pupil of the New England Conservatory of Music and now one of the group of Boston composers; Augusto Rotoli, born in Rome in 1847 and from 1895 up to his recent death a member of the faculty of the Conservatory in Boston, during which time he wrote many spirited songs, in the Italian manner; Jules Jordan, director of the Arion Club of Providence, R. I.; Harvey W. Loomis of New York; Albert G. Robyn of St. Louis; James H. Rogers of Cleveland and Humphrey J. Stewart of San Francisco, all of whom have written notable songs and part songs. In the meantime a younger generation of song writers is appearing as a result of the attention which is given to original composition in the music schools. Among the most promising of these is Homer Humphrey, a Boston organist and teacher at the New England Conservatory of Music, whose manuscript song "I Arise from Dreams of Thee" was first sung by F. Morse Wemple at his recital of January 7.

Now that American music is being enriched in various departments—with new opportunities for local grand opera and special facilities for training for the operatic stage, as just developed in Boston under the auspices of the Boston Opera Company, and with continued improvement of the quality of music presented by the symphony organizations of the larger cities, a great increase in the production of interesting and beautiful sketches in the song form is predicted by the music critics.

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—[illegible] Journal.

Restraining Recollections.

"They say I'm a little close," said Mr. Cumrox thoughtfully.

"Well, you don't exactly spend it as if it were water."

"I try to. But, you see, I used to live in Arizona, where water is scarce."
—Washington Star.

BOSTON THEATRE.

"Way Down East," under the management of William A. Brady, with a newly painted and augmented production, returned to the Boston Theatre last Monday night for a two weeks' stay and was warmly greeted by a house that was packed almost to its capacity.

This popular New England play has been absent from Boston for several seasons, so its revival on Monday was thoroughly appreciated by the mass of theatregoers who seldom attend the theatre.

Of the players who have always appeared here, Miss Phoebe Davies is by far the best known. John F. Brennan deserves particular credit for his performance of Hi Holler, the "chore boy." Clare Blair Collins as David is another popular member of the company. Ella Hugh Wood, whose inimitable characterization of "Martha Perkins" is so well known, was again seen in the character and Mabel Strickland lent a personal charm to Kate, "The Squire's niece."

The Village Choir, composed of a mixed quartette of excellent voices, rendered the old songs in the old manner.

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Mayor Johnson's Practical Application of the Principle of "Heads, I Win; Tails, You Lose."

If the people of Cleveland had known before the referendum all that they now know in regard to the Municipal Traction company the majority against a continuation of municipal management would unquestionably have been many thousands instead of 600. For instance, in its effort to show its solvency the officials of the company claimed that they had made a certain amount of betterments. One such item of $53,000 has already been shown to have been a duplicate charge for property acquired under the lease. It was also brought out in court that favored "insiders" were permitted to unload their stock through the "private stock exchange" at a price fifteen points above the ordinary market price, the stock thus sold being guaranteed redeemable at par. This "guarantee" not only became valueless as soon as the referendum was lost but would probably soon have been valueless in any case, as the court has found that the road was being operated at a heavy loss.

But the worst revelation was in relation to the Pay Enter Fare Box company. This company was organized with a nominal capital of $10,000 to manufacture a new type of "prepayment" boxes. According to Mayor Johnson's own testimony he had paid in only $2,000 on account of himself and President du Pont of the Municipal, who was to become owner of one-half the stock when he paid $1,000 to Mayor Johnson. Meanwhile the expenses of developing the company, including perfecting the box, were borne by the Municipal to the extent of $35,000 or $40,000, of which $10,000 was advanced before that company was even incorporated. As compensation for the risk the Municipal was to get its boxes at cost if they proved successful. It was admitted that if the box was not a success or the company failed the Municipal would lose its investment, while if the company succeeded the profits would go to the stockholders, Mayor Johnson and President du Pont. Comment seems needless.

While Cleveland was demonstrating that good service was incompatible with three cent fares, even in a city where the average ride is as short as it is in Cleveland, Chicago was contributing evidence of another sort. At the end of the first year of virtual partnership between the city and the traction companies the board of supervising engineers analyzed the receipts and found that of every nickel 2.24 cents was paid out to wage earners and 1.14 cents was paid for material, supplies and management. In other words, every ride cost the companies 3.38 cents without considering interest on investment or taxes, which amounted to 0.87 of a cent. This [illegible]

[illegible] duced. It is the low wages paid to employees which, together with absence of transfers, make possible the low fares of European street railways.

REJECTED.

Voters Decline to Assume the Burdens of Municipal Ownership.

The citizens have for the second time voted against the proposition to purchase the plant of the Manchester (Mass.) Electric company to be operated as a municipal plant.—Electrical World.

The proposition to purchase the properties of the water companies supplying Pasadena, Cal., for the purpose of further developing the supply, failing to secure the approval of two-thirds of the votes, was rejected. The issue of bonds for a garbage crematory also failed.—Municipal Journal and Engineer.

The city clerk of Lakeland, Fla., writes that the proposition to issue $15,000 bonds for a municipal electric plant was defeated by a majority of 8 to 1.

The board of mayor and aldermen of Columbia, Tenn., has rejected the proposition to purchase the local water and light plant.

The special committee of the city council of New Bedford, Mass., appointed early in the year to consider the matter of establishing a municipal electric light and gas plant, reported unanimously against the project.

A Socialist Experiment.

The reports for 1907 on the working of the Socialist glass works at Albi, France, show that the profits were only $4,800, which means that the management barely made both ends meet, despite the fact that a ready outlet is assured by the support of the workingmen's organizations. The reports censure the nonchalance of the workmen, who work as little as possible. The number of hours lost in 1903 amounted to 3,170. Last year the number lost was 15,222. The breakage amounted to 15 per cent as against 4 or 5 elsewhere. It is said that the best workmen will not join as a result of their objection to advancement by seniority. The management, which is elected by the men themselves, is stated to be lacking in technical competence.

A Surprise.

Of 5,804 electric meters recently tested in New York state 10 per cent were fast, while 27 per cent were slow. Thus prejudice has to yield to investigated facts.

A proposal to establish a municipal electric plant was defeated at a special election at Logan, O.—Public Service.

SUGGESTED BY CHILDREN.

Origin of the Argand Lamp and the Telescope.

Some of our most useful mechanical appliances owe their existence to the ingenuity of children in fashioning their playthings. Argand, who invented a lamp with a wick fitted into a hollow cylinder, was one day busy in his workroom. Sitting before the burning lamp, his little brother was amusing himself by placing a bottomless oil flask over different articles. Suddenly he placed it upon the flame of the lamp, which instantly shot up the long circular neck of the flask with increased brilliancy. Argand did not allow such a suggestive occurrence to escape him. The idea of the lamp chimney almost immediately came into his head, and in a short time his invention was perfected.

The telescope owes its origin to a similar occurrence. The children of a Dutch spectacle maker happened to be playing one day with some of their father's glasses in front of the shop door. Placing two of the glasses together, they peeped through them and were exceedingly astonished to see the weathercock of the neighboring steeple brought within a short distance of their eyes. They were naturally puzzled and called their father to see the strange sight. When the spectacle maker looked through the glasses he was no less surprised than the children had been. He went indoors and thought the matter over, and then the idea occurred to him that he might construct a curious new toy which would give people a good deal of amusement. Not long after the telescope was an accomplished fact.

THE SUBTLE FEMALE.

How She Wheedles and Bullies the Poor Man Creature.

As woman gradually impressed upon man the futility of strutting around in finery and the necessity of being practically useful his garb has become more and more sober and workaday in appearance. Ethnologists tell us that the decorations of primitive man were intended to fascinate feminine eyes, but woman presently began to make it clear that she was not hunting for "a fine, showy article," but something solid and plain and useful, warranted to stand wear and tear. As for the ornamental role, she was going to represent the family herself in that line.

In fact, when one reflects how man has been stripped of gauds and wheedled out of his fripperies one by one, one cannot help feeling a tender pity for this victim of feminine self aggrandizement. Poor, timid trembler! A vague, general fear of the female sex haunts him. Afraid of being married against his will, he is circumvented by some subtle female creature who makes him think that it is his will to marry [illegible] that a man [illegible] from the [illegible] into the [illegible] And the [illegible] opportunist, [illegible] block his headlong flight and switch it toward the altar.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Easy Job.

Indifference displayed in the face of the uncertainties and dangers of life is characteristic of the Wessex dwellers in the "Islands of the Vale," according to Eleanor G. Hayden, the author of the book of the title, who supports her statement with a story of humorous turn.

A certain cottage and its old mistress had improved so greatly in comfort and appearance that a visitor shrewdly surmised that the son of the house, a lazy ne'er do well, had turned over a new leaf. He inquired about it.

"Yes, sir, my son's in work now," said the smiling old mother. "Takes good money, he does, too. All he has to do is to go twice a day to the circus and put his head in the lion's mouth. The rest of the time he has to himself."

Not Infectious.

I used to be very much afraid that my children while playing with others would be exposed to some contagious disease, and they were constantly on the lookout for trouble of this kind.

One day little Louise, aged four, came rushing in from the street where she had been playing with a crowd of children. In a very excited manner she burst out, "Well, mother, two of the Meyers children have something, but sister says she don't think we'll catch it, though."

"Well, what is it, darling?" I asked.

"It's the pigeon toes," she replied.—Delineator.

How Pike Kill Perch.

From careful observation I am satisfied that pike kill their prey before swallowing them, and they do this by holding whatever fish they have secured crossways in their powerful jaws for some time before bolting it. I once watched a pike hold a perch in this way for twenty minutes, and then he moved off out of sight, but from five to ten minutes is the usual time.—W. H. Armistead in "Trout Waters, Management and Angling."

Information Wanted.

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"Yes, and, besides that, he'll have a band at his funeral!"—Wahre Jacob.

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Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings, Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners—Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
Trustees Library—George H Eustis, Theodore C Hurd, Robert Coit.
Park Commissioners—Preston Pond, Jere A Downs, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Mears, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F Herron.
Overseers of Poor—Geo. H Carter, Chas F McCarthy, Mrs Emily C Symmes.
Tree Warden—Irving T Guild.
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Inspector of Animals—William Buckley.
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Time Table.
Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54, 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 [illegible]

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for [illegible]ington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15 a. m. and every 30 minutes until [illegible] p. m.

Returning, leave Merrimack sq. Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston 6.45, 7.15 a. m. and every 30 minutes [illegible] p. m.

*Change at Stoneham.

†6.15, Wilmington only.

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Crafty Master Fox.

A fox was one day seen coming out of a pile of stones near the waterside. He hid in the heather for awhile and then pushed out something on the water, which proved to be a bunch of moss. The wind took it into the middle of the lake and blew it past some ducks sitting on the surface. Having watched his venture for perhaps ten minutes with apparent satisfaction and observed that it neared the ducks without arousing their suspicions, our friend began to collect another and larger bunch of moss, which he allowed to float in the same direction, but this time he swam behind it, taking care to show only his eyes and nose above water. Just as it was passing the group of ducks he made a sudden dive, pulled down a bird and swam back to shore under water. Arrived there, he carried the duck to the pile of heather, where his wife and daughter were no doubt waiting to enjoy the fruits of his labors.—"Forty-five Years of Sport."

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To the heirs at law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Calvin Robinson, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Calvin F. Robinson, of Winchester, in the County of Middlesex.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty fourth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage [illegible] Seymour W. Stevens of Winchester [illegible] County of Middlesex and [illegible] of Massachusetts to the [illegible] Savings Bank, dated September [illegible] and recorded in the South [illegible] Registry of Deeds for the County of [illegible] 2764, folio 443, for breach [illegible] of said mortgage will be sold [illegible] auction, on the premises

On Tuesday the [illegible]tieth day of March, 1909, at [illegible] o'clock, in the afternoon,

all [illegible] premises conveyed by said mortgage [illegible] namely [illegible] of land with the buildings [illegible] in said Winchester and being [illegible] seventy-three (73) and a portion [illegible] numbered sixty-nine (69) as shown [illegible] drawn by G. F. Hartshorne [illegible] and recorded with Middlesex [illegible] Book of Plans No. 70, Plan 48 and described as follows: [illegible] by Florence street eighty feet, [illegible] by Harvard street fifty five feet, [illegible] by a line parallel with said Florence [illegible] eighty feet and [illegible] [illegible]

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SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday.) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

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23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24. Mt. Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37. Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Holland street.
41. Lake street, cor. Main street.*
42. Beggs & Cobb's Tannery. (Private.)
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44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Windwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Windwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
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66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

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Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
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North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.1 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Friday, the 19th inst., was my daughter's birthday and after remembering her I sent out to Mrs. —— a dozen roses with these words. "Here's to the Mother who brought a beautiful daughter into this world." My son was at home when they were received and telephoned to me saying "Father, my birthday is the 18th of August, will you send me a dozen lemons on that day?" X

The dormitory occupied by Sanford Petts in Wheeler Hall, Dartmouth College, was badly damaged by fire last week Thursday. The furnishings of the room were badly damaged.

Mr. Samuel W. Twombly cast his 61st vote at a town election on Monday.

Major Bond of Woburn has approved the order appropriating $150 to install an interchangeable fire alarm system between that city and Winchester.

Have you noticed the improvements that are going on in Sheffield West addition? Better buy a lot there now and get in on the future raise in values. Geo. Adams Woods.

What a disappointment it must have been to those gentlemen who aspired to Congressman McCall's position, when they learned that he had declined the presidency of Dartmouth College.

The U. S. M. Co. is equipping a shoe factory at Hong Kong, which is the first establishment to have modern machinery in the flowery kingdom. It will have a capacity of 500 pairs of shoes daily.

Of interest to Winchester is a bill before the Legislature that all towns having over 5000 population shall, upon accepting the act, elect a board to be known as the board of municipal affairs, composed of one member for every fifty voters, who shall transact the business now done by the voters in town meeting assembled and who shall be vested with all rights which the voters as a body now enjoy.

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A consignment of over 100 Greeks arrived at Woburn the first part of the week and took up residences in various parts of the city.

Last Saturday morning Mr. Samuel S. Symmes caught a pickerel in the South Reservoir that weighed 5 pounds and 26 inches in length. It was a beauty and will probably be the largest fish that will ever again be taken from the reservoirs, or at least for many years to come, as the town will probably vote to prohibit fishing hereafter.

Honorable Samuel W. Elder received the following compliment in the editorial columns of the Boston Journal last Saturday. "In Samuel J. Elder the American side in the Newfoundland fisheries case has secured a representative whose admirable poise and effective eloquence, no less than his legal ability, will appear to good advantage before so critical a tribunal as the international court of arbitration at The Hague."

Mrs. Thomas S. Hoyt is in New Hampshire this week for a few days visiting [illegible] who is ill.

Mrs. Willie Richardson of Bennington, N. H., was visiting relatives in town last week.

For that sweet tooth try Covel's home made candies.

[illegible] Co's new brick fireproof storage building on [illegible] street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Dana Wingate of Winchester was chosen to represent Phillips Exeter Academy at the meeting of the New England Interscholastic Association in Boston last Saturday and was elected President of the Association. He also was one of the Exeter runners in the 45 yard hurdle race at the Interscholastic meeting that day and was the winner of the first heat. In the semi-finals he came in third.

Mrs. E. W. Hawkins of Lebanon street has been sick this week with a severe attack of indigestion.

Mrs. C. T. Whitten is able to be out after a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Almira A. Rowe, who has been spending the winter in California, is now in Oakdale, Nebraska.

The Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will meet for an all day meeting on Tuesday, March 9th, at 10 a. m., with Mrs. Caldwell, 14 Mt. Pleasant street. Business meeting at 2.30. Basket lunch.

Robert F. Whitney has received his new 1909 Model 10 Buick runabout and is now prepared to demonstrate to prospective customers the many fine points of this very popular little car. Mr. Whitney being the local agent for the Buick line.

Ice cream at Covel's; order now for your Sunday dinner.

There will be vesper services in Woburn Unitarian Church on five consecutive Sundays at five o'clock. Organ music at 4.45. This Sunday, March 7, Mr. Lewis will play appropriate selections from Guilmant and Chopin (born March 1, 1809) in honor of Rev. Daniel March, D. D., who died Mar. 2, 1909.

Mr. E. Alden Bigelow has sold his farm in Bennington, N. H. Mr. Willie Richardson, formerly of Winchester, has been living there and operating it for several years past.

At the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Bethany sewing society Tuesday, the following committees were appointed for the coming fair and sale: Chairman, Mrs. Henry Smalley; cake, Mrs. W. I. McIntosh; ice cream, Mrs. Harry Seagrave; fancy, Mrs. John Boyce; candy, Mrs. Justin Parker; housekeeper, Mrs. H. Smalley. The meeting was well attended considering the stormy day, thirty-nine sitting down to dinner.

Scientific scalp treatment at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Building, Woburn, Mass. Tel. 322-3.

Miss Anna M. Holland, formerly of the Mme. Pinault Co., Boston, has opened Toilet Parlors, at 371 Main street, Woburn, Manicuring, Chiropody, Hairdressing, Shampooing and Hair Dyeing a Specialty. Telephone Connection.

Fancy short legs of lamb 17 cents a pound at Mammoth Cash Market, 612 Main street.

Gertrude May gave a party Friday evening to twelve of her little friends at her home on Sheffield road.

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Mr. Ernest D. Shaw and family of Eaton court moved this week to Highland avenue taking one half of the double house at the head of Walnut street. Mr. Frank W. Jones of Lagrange street has taken the house vacated by Mr. Shaw.

Mrs. Arthur T. Downer has returned from a three week's trip to New York.

The Calumet Club netted close to $1200 from its recent show.

Fresh green string beans, lettuce, radishes and celery at the Mammoth Cash Market. Tel. 35-3 or 211-5.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Angus McCush of Richardson street while on her way to church last Sunday morning, fell and broke her wrist.

Rev. Daniel March, D.D., pastor emeritus of the First Congregational Church, Woburn, died Tuesday morning. He was well known and loved in Winchester, and was father to the late Dr. Daniel March, a practicing physician here for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Huntress started yesterday for a trip south and will be away for the greater part of the month.

Mr. Marcus May and family will go Saturday to New Hampshire for several weeks.

While working with the gypsy moth force at the North Woburn Park last Friday afternoon, John S. Brackett, former superintendent of the North Woburn car barns and well known in Winchester, received a shock. He was removed to his home at the corner of Ward and Elm streets, where he died on Sunday. He was over sixty years of age.

Mr. Lester Kellough gave a very enjoyable musicale Thursday evening at his home on Lakeview road. A number of young artists were present from both Winchester and Boston.

If you want good and pure ice cream order from Young.

Miss Evelyn Parker, who is attending school at Hartford, Conn., is at home on a two week's vacation visiting her parents on Lebanon street.

In a large field of candidates, Mr. James McLaughlin, Winchester's enterprising shoe merchant, was elected one of the three members of the Board of Selectmen of Burlington Monday. He was later chosen clerk of the Board. Also he was elected a member of the School Board for three years. Good for you, James!

Mr. Philip J. Blank has leased the house 71 Parkway to A. Wm. Rooney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Libby and children of Kendall street were badly poisoned last Saturday night from eating some sardines. One of the children did not recover until late Sunday and the result might have been fatal but for the efforts of Mr. Libby and Mrs. Annie Hoben.

Mrs. James F. Dwinell who fell recently and broke her wrist is slowly improving.

Hayes Robbins of this town had an article in Wednesday's Transcript on "A California Winter." It is worth reading. Other articles will appear later.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond narrowly escaped asphyxiation at their home on Washington street, near Swanton street, Wednesday night. Hearing a strange noise in their room, Mr. Long, brother to Mrs. Raymond, entered and found both unconscious. Mr. Charles T. Lawson, who lives next door, was notified and he telephoned for a doctor. The next day the victims had nearly recovered. The gas came from the furnace.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ripley left last week for Tampa, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace F. Flanders left Monday for a trip to Havana.

Try our sirloin steak, 25 cents per pound this week. Mammoth Cash Market.

Mr. George H. Lochman recently sold one of his fancy hens for $10. A pullet brought $5.

The Calumet Club dinner has been postponed to April 3rd, the date of the annual meeting of the club.

On Tuesday night the old Onion house situated just over the Woburn line on Mt. Misery, and owned and occupied by a Mrs. Norton, caught fire from an overturned lamp and was badly gutted before the fire was extinguished. On Wednesday afternoon, Nathan Robinovitz discovered a fire in one of the sheds at the town yard on Lake street. The fire did about $300 damage. Its cause is unknown.

Go up one street and down another and you'll find it hard to beat Winchester as a residence center. Have you seen Geo. Adams Woods about that home yet.

The national house of representatives passed the penal code bill last week. Congressman McCall's amendment abolishing capital punishment was defeated because of the lack of a quorum when the vote was taken.

Best fresh made creamery butter, 32 cents a pound at the Mammoth Cash Market.

Bobby, the small son of Mr. Ormsby A. Court of Winthrop street, fell from the porch last Saturday and broke his arm. The break was very serious, but it is anticipated that he will recover satisfactorily.

Last Friday night the pole chain on one of Hawes express teams broke as the wagon was coming down Black Horse Hill and the horses were unable to hold the load. The wagon ran as far as the electric car turnout and tipped over. Driver Welch was badly hurt, receiving a broken leg and other injuries.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Board of Selectmen organized Tuesday evening by electing Mr. Herbert H. Dwinell as chairman and Mr. George H. Lochman clerk.

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Mr. William J. Dunton, a Winchester boy, has become the successor of the well known florist, Marston B. Bunker of 8 City Hall avenue, Boston. The many Winchester friends of this young man will be pleased to learn of his rise in business life, and they can be assured of fair and generous treatment at the hands of Mr. Dunton in anything pertaining to flowers or plants.

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KROUSE—CARTER.

Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Hazeltine, 7 Palmer street, Arlington, Miss Gertrude Blanche Carter was united in marriage to Victor William Krouse of Grand Rapids, Mich. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Charles H. Watson, and was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives.

The bride was attended by Miss Edith F. Hodges of New York as maid of honor, and Walter Eaton of Woburn was best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin, with a tulle veil which was held in place by a spray of orange blossoms and she carried sweet peas. The maid of honor wore yellow crepe de chine and carried yellow roses.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held, the couple being assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Hazeltine and Mr. and Mrs. Krouse. The ushers were Norman W. Hazeltine and Gordon W. Hazeltine, brothers of the bride; Walter Hartshorne of Woburn and Howard Locke of Medford.

The house was decorated with yellow jonquils and green trimmings. The parlor where the ceremony was performed was a mass of flowers and an arch was arranged in one corner, under which the ceremony was performed. After the reception the couple left on an extended wedding tour, at the close of which they will reside at Rockport, Mich., where the groom is a member of the firm of Hirth, Krouse Company, shoe manufacturers. Many beautiful gifts were showered upon the couple and silverware, cut glass and bric-a-brac were much in evidence.

The groom is a graduate of Michigan University, where he was one of the foremost athletes. The bride is a former resident of Winchester, where she was very popular in society circles.

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- New ruchings and brussels nets.
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A BOLD BREAK.

Second story workers attempted to enter the residence of Mr William Corliss of Fells road on Tuesday evening about seven o'clock. While the family and some guests were enjoying themselves in the parlors on the first floor a man climbed up the rose trellis against the piazza and pried open a locked window above. Mrs. Ida Mayo, a member of the household, had gone to her room a little earlier to rest, and lay on the bed in the dark, and saw the man get in head and shoulders, when a fastening caught him. She made a loud call which brought the men of the family up stairs just in time to see the intruder pull himself out, when he lost his bearings and fell from the piazza roof to the lawn below and made his escape. The police were called by telephone, and as a hitch was waiting at the station, it made a lightning trip to the house and a good description was furnished of the man. Many valuables were accessible had the man gained access to the room.

Later in the evening Joe Brodeur was arrested on Highland avenue by officer Harrold with a bundle of carpenter's tools under his arm which proved to have been stolen from a tool chest of the Winchester Stone and Brick Co., on East street valued at $50. Later two other men who were on the same job were arrested and all were in court in Woburn Thursday. The names of the other men were Frank Boyle and John McGarr. They were held under $500 bonds for the grand jury. One of the three is thought to be the man who entered the Corliss residence, but identification is lacking.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE WILL HOLD A PUBLIC MEETING TO HEAR VIEWS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The School Committee will hold a public meeting at the Committee Rooms in the High School Building on Wednesday evening, March 17th, devoting that evening (and subsequent evenings, if found necessary) to hearing all who wish to present views or suggestions, or complaints regarding the present system of school government or education. In order that none may be kept waiting, anyone desiring to attend may communicate with the Superintendent of Schools before the date of the meeting, and a definite period in the evening will be set aside for each person.

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ORGAN RECITAL.

The third organ recital by Mr. J. Albert Wilson, organist and choir master of the Church of the Epiphany, will be given next Sunday afternoon at 4.15.

Mr. Wilson will be assisted by a men's chorus of fifteen voices.

The following is the program:—

Prelude in G Major	Bach
Canon in B Minor	Shumann
a "God is Our Refuge"	Kratz
b "The Lord is God"	Trowbridge
Men's Chorus	
Scherzo in G Minor	Macfarlane
"The Lord is My Strength"	Simper
Men's Chorus	
Cantabile } (from sixth Symphony) Vivace }	Widor

WOBURN WON THIRD IN SERIES.

In the third match in the series of games between the Winchester and Woburn Councils, Knights of Columbus, the latter won 6-4. Winchester won the first two matches. Following are the results of last evening.

Cribbage

Winchester		Woburn	
Foley, Holland	1	Callahan, Costello	3
J Sullivan, E Sullivan	1	Looney, Harkins	3

Whist

Winchester		Woburn	
O'Connor, Shea	16	Connolly, Cannon	27
Maguire, Glendon	24	Meehan, McPartlin	21

Forty-Fives

Winchester		Woburn	
Lynch, Haley	13	Hearn, Reddy	8
Fitzgerald, Cosgrove	8	Coughlin, McGrath	13

Checkers

Winchester		Woburn	
Lyons	0	Garvey	3
King	2	Kennedy	3

Pool

Winchester		Woburn	
Murphy	60	McCarron	48
Lyons	60	Conway	31

Winchester Council 4
Woburn Council 6

"THE OLD FREIGHT YARD CONTENTION."

CHAPTER 2.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

An article appeared in last week's "STAR" having the above heading, and inaccurately written which is perhaps to be expected when a mechanic dabbles in law.

The article is not signed, but it is in the style with which we become familiar although near the end the author, as if to veil his identity, puts a congratulatory expression into the mouth of the Editor of the "STAR." The author, after sundry inaccurate statements winds up with enumerating the many advantages which would accrue to the town if only it is wise enough to avail itself of the alleged present opportunity. Thereupon we read "The STAR congratulates both contestants on their endurance to the end." But alas! the end is not yet. Mrs. Miller's counsel has filed exceptions to the decision of Judge Davis, and the case goes now to the full bench of the Supreme Court, where it will be argued next November or December. Meanwhile, it may be well to correct some errors likely to have arisen from previous articles by the same author.

The mill pond is a vast sheet of water with streams flowing into it and bays extending out of it in all directions, covering many acres in the centre of Winchester, where it lies spread out like a giant octopus and likely to be the occasion of all sorts of controversies and nuisances to the adjoining owners. Nor does its malign effect end with the mill pond itself, but by reason of its communication with Wedge Pond the mill owner has had interests in conflict with those of abuttors upon that pond.

Mrs. Miller's turn for attack came in 1891. It will be remembered that Mrs. Miller is the owner of a small estate situate at the northerly end of Railroad avenue, adjoining the Boston & Lowell Railroad and the mill pond. The house upon the lot is opposite the end of the avenue and if that avenue were to be extended in a straight line the house would have to be removed. This attack was in the shape of an action at law, commenced April 17, 1891 in the Superior Court, and had for its purpose the assertion and enforcement of an alleged right of way through land of Mrs. Miller to the pond, chiefly within the limits of Railroad Avenue if the same we e extended to the mill pond. Mrs. Miller or her husband in some trepidation consulted her counsel, with an apparent readiness to yield almost anything which was demanded by the owners at that time of the Whitney mill privilege, who were the trustees under the will of Asa Whitney, subject, perhaps, to the life estate of Joel Whitney. Mrs Miller's counsel from long familiarity with the early titles of Winchester, was inclined to think it was not best to be in haste in yielding to those demands, and recalled a defect or doubtful point in the Whitney title which he had known for some years and which it considered might be used as an effective means of defence as well as of counter attack upon the Whitney pretentions and affected by the defect in question.

It seemed almost like sacrilege to the Whitneys, who had been quite ready to make claims against other people, to be thus suddenly brought face to face with an attack upon the integrity of their own title. The case hung along from year to year and the trial was several times postponed, and in 1896 measures for a compromise were initiated by the representatives of the Whitney estate, but with the tenacious spirit which has been in time past so characteristic of some of the owners of the mill property, no compromise was practicable.

It was now time for Mrs. Miller to reverse the usual course of procedure, and her counsel wrote to the Treasurer of the Boston & Maine Railroad a letter which is referred to in the article to which this is in reply. The letter was dated March 10, 1896, and informed the Railroad that Mrs. Miller claimed a considerable part of the land covered by water, which the Railroad was proposing to acquire from the Whitney trustees. This letter had the desired effect, and the Railroad declined to proceed with the transaction until the matter was adjusted. Negotiations for the compromise continued in progress for about two years, but without effect.

Meanwhile the Whitneys consoled themselves by bringing another action at law affecting other real estate of the Millers. The writ was dated December 7, 1897. This action seems to have been brought mainly with a view to terrify the Millers and their counsel if possible. That effect did not follow.

June 6, 1898, the Court appointed an auditor and the first case brought was referred to him for preliminary hearing. The parties wasted six or seven days in the hearings before him in the summer of 1898. For some reason he failed to file his report upon the case for more than eight years, although ordered by the judge to do so. Finally, October 22, 1906, the Superior Court in which the case was pending, ordered a general call of the law docket to be had December 19, 1906. The court further ordered that all suits in which no action had been taken between October 1, 1904, and October 1, 1906, should be called and dismissed, unless cause to the contrary was shown.

This roused the Whitneys and their counsel and the auditor to heroic efforts. Under the spur of this pressing danger the auditor rallied his forces and succeeded in filing a report on the afternoon of December 18. It can readily be seen that after the lapse of more than eight years since the hearing, the matter had passed very largely from the grasp of the auditor, and the arguments of counsel as well as many facts in evidence, had escaped his recollection, no stenographic notes having been taken in the hearings of many days. His report was in favor of the Whitney trustees. The case was nevertheless dismissed at the calling of the docket, and although the counsel for the Whitney trustees moved to restore it, the chief justice of the Superior Court who heard the motion, denied it, and the result was that the action at law was irrecoverably lost after it had been pending for nearly sixteen years.

It is interesting to note in this connection the written admission made by the attorneys for the Whitneys in their said motion that " their right of action will be lost through possession of the defendant (Mary H. Miller) since the bringing of their writ." They seem at that time to have given up the ship, though threats have been lately heard and were made at the hearing in the Land Court, that further proceedings against the Millers were in contemplation.

The second case brought by the Whitneys shared the fate of the first and was dismissed at the same calling of the docket.

Mrs. Miller had many other defences to the suit against her than the one which has been mentioned above, and in the meantime her possession had been strengthened by sixteen years additional possession, so that whether Mrs. Miller has or has not acquired a record title to the bottom of the pond near her estate the objects chiefly sought by that defence have been already accomplished.

After taking a short vacation, Mr. Arthur E. Whitney brought another suit, this time a petition to the Land Court for the registration of the title to the land at the bottom of the pond included in the description in the above mentioned deed to Mrs. Miller. This petition was filed April 4, 1907. One would suppose from the article in last week's STAR that the petition in the Land Court was the same old action at law commenced in 1891. Here again our author fails to state with any accuracy the ground of the contention, which was that the Charlestown Bank as mortgagee and other mortgagees made a deed to Asahel W. Goodell, which according to the established construction of the description in said deed conveyed, to the centre line of Cutter Mill Brook and of the Aberjona river.

Except by our author no carelessness has been imputed to Samuel S. Richardson who was not a party to the deed from the Charlestown Bank, and the decision referred to, so far from confirming the every-day construction of the deed in question, is directly contrary to that, and (with deference be it said) appears to adopt in the language of the writer of said article a " heretofore unknown meaning," read into it by reference to another deed made in what may have been an entirely independent transaction. It remains to be seen what construction the Supreme Court will give to the deed in question.

A. C. V.

SCHOOL NEWS.

No chairman was elected at the meeting of the new school committee held last Friday night owing to the absence of Mr. Marcus B. May, who is in New Hampshire on account of his health. Mr. Wingate has been chosen acting chairman, he being the eldest member in service.

The committee approved bills for $259.05 and received the financial statement of the schools for March. An additional typewriter was authorized for the commercial department of the High school; a Remington visible typewriter being ordered.

Some time during the month of May the High school chorus will give a concert, Supervisor of Music, Brown, and Principal Lovering of the school being authorized to arrange the details. The chorus comprises 126 voices.

Petitions have been received from The Fortnightly and the Mother's Association asking that cooking be reinstated in the public schools.

On Tuesday two cases of scarlet fever were found in the Wyman school, the building being closed on Wednesday for fumigation. The officials have found this the hardest school yet to take care of in the scarlet fever epidemic, owing to the fact that as soon as a case is discoverd the children are kept at home by the parents, with the result that after the scare is over and they are allowed to return it is discovered that some of them are convalescing from the disease. Furthermore during their absence it is difficult for the physician to keep track of and examine them.

The condition of Miss Mary J. Hills is so much improved that she is expected home from the hospital in a month or six weeks.

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

The following gentlemen were announced as the Appropriations Committee at the Town Meeting Monday evening:

John L. Ayer
Albert F. Blaisdell
James P. Boutwell
Maurice F. Brown
H. Douglas Campbell
Charles E. Corey
Thomas B. Cotter
Charles F. Dutch
William S. Forbes
J. Churchill Hindes
Michael S. Nelson
William C. Newell
Addison R. Pike
Nathan H. Taylor
Arthur E. Whitney

Many new members were received into the different churches last Sunday. Four were taken into the Second Cong. Church, and at the Methodist Church three united as members and sixteen were accepted on probation, while at the First Cong. Church nine were made members. At the First Baptist Church thirteen went before the Prudential Committee last Sabbath and thirteen more are to go next Sunday and many more are expected to follow.

MISS A. LAURA TOLMAN, VIOLONCELLIST,
Who Plays at the Unitarian Vesper Service Sunday Evening.

VESPER SERVICE.

The musical order of the Vesper Service at the Unitarian Church, Sunday, March 14, at 7 p. m.:

Organ	Processional March	Guilmant
	Melodie	Lynes
'Cello Solo	Devotion of the Forest	Popper
Antiphon	Psalm cxxi	Grant
Anthem	The Lord is my Light	Hilex
'Cello Solo	Andante from Concerto Op. 7	Klengel
Quartette	The Lord's Prayer	Holden
Anthem	Rejoice in the Lord	Page
Organ Postlude	Nazareth	Gounod-Whiting

Miss A. Laura Tolman, violoncellist, will assist the choir.

CALUMET CLUB NEWS.

Ladies' night will be observed at the Calumet Club on the evening of March 30th, and will take the form of a masquerade party.

The nominating committee of the club, composed of John A. Caldwell, George A. Burgess, Edgar M. Young and Chas. A. Gleason, has made the following nominations for the coming year:

President—Charles S. Tenney.
Vice-president—Freeland E. Hovey.
Secretary—Edgar M. Young.
Treasurer—Herbert L. Larrabee.
Directors for three years—Nathan H. Taylor, Daniel B. Badger, Dr. J. Churchill Hindes.
Director for two years—Charles A. Gleason.

The bowling prizes for the tournament now in progress at the club are on exhibition in the reception hall. They are the handsomest prizes yet shown at the club and consist of solid silver spoons, butter knives and loving cups.

Last Saturday evening the second string at Boston pins was rolled by Mr. James A. Gerlach. His score was 159.

Mr. Charles C. Rogers entertained the members of the show and dinner committee of the club at the Boston Athletic Club last week.

THE MOTHERS' ASSOCIATION

The March meeting of the Mothers' Association will be held at room 30 High School building, on Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, March 17.

Mrs. Burke F. Leavitt of Belmont will speak on " The Compensations of Motherhood."

A social hour with light refreshments. The Library will be open. Little children will be cared for in adjoining room.

JUST A WORD FOR THE RUNNING TRAP.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

On page 96 in our last Town Report you may read: " Sewer gas is a deadly enemy to human life. Breathed in sufficient quantity it kills quickly." We all believe that. You read in the same report by the same authority on page 97 a request to grant the Board of Health authority to omit the running trap from the main drain, the only one thing that cuts off all connection between the house and sewer.

If a running trap is used, sewer air or gas cannot enter the house from sewer; if not, you vent the sewer through your house. If pipes are tight, all right, only it may enter the windows near the end of same, which one can see by looking at many houses. At present the Board only requests a pipe 12 inches above a window, and some are left under windows; a violation to our written laws.

They say some cities prohibit its use—they do. Some cities use light soil pipe—which we do not. It is no reason for us to leave out a very important fixture because some one else does.

It plumbing never became defective it would be different, but buildings settle and cause defects, rats eat holes in lead waste pipes, traps wear out, always above water line of trap, they may not leak water but air and gas is sure to find its way into houses. In the cheaper houses tenants cut holes in pipes and traps to clean them which permits direct intercourse with the sewer if the running trap is omitted.

I believe we cannot be too careful in this matter. At a cost of two dollars and a half, labor included, the running trap is a cheap safeguard, to say the least. Why should we leave it out of our plumbing by-laws? I trust that the voters will dismiss from the warrant, Article No. 20, and go on in the safe way (as a large majority of the towns and cities of Massachusetts do) in regard to the running trap.

Last week I wrote to a number of the cities and towns of Massachusetts for the Plumbing Ordinance. I find that the following places require a running trap: Adams, Amesbury, Amherst, Andover, Arlington, Attleboro, Ayer, Belmont, Beverly, Brookline, Cambridge, Chelsea, Clinton, Dedham, Everett, Fall River, Fitchburg, Framingham, Gloucester, Gardner, Haverhill, Hudson, Hyde Park, Lawrence, Lexington, Lowell, Lynn, Malden, Marlboro, Medford, Methuen, Milbury, Milton, Nahant, Needham, New Bedford, Newburyport, North Adams, North Attleboro, North Hampton, Pittsfield, Plymouth, Quincy, Reading, Revere, Salem, Saugus, Somerville, Swampscott, Taunton, Wakefield, Ware, Watertown, Webster, Wellesley, Weston, Winchester, Winthrop, Woburn, Worcester.

The following places prohibit the use of the running trap: Brockton, Bridgewater, Chicopee, Concord, Southbridge, Springfield.

The following places leave the use of the running trap optional with the owner, Plumbing Inspector or Board of Health: Holyoke, Melrose, Newton, Waltham, Westfield.

If any voter does not believe in the importance of the running trap as herein stated I am willing to put my time against his and prove beyond a doubt that said trap is the most essential feature in modern plumbing.

JONAS A. LARAWAY.

March 10, 1909.

SEE THE WHALE.

Upon presenting the above coupon at Otis Wharf, Boston, Saturday, March 13, any child will be admitted to see the monster whale exhibited there. It is a curiosity as a monster and also as being only the third of its kind to be brought to Boston in the past 25 years. It was captured off Cape Cod and is called a "right whale," which distinguishes it from a sperm whale. All inquiries in regard to it will be answered by an expert who will be there. Its weight is 15 tons. It is 38 feet long. Its tail is 13 feet across, its fin 9 inches long and it is 28 feet around the body. Its tongue weighed just a ton, and was 1 foot thick, 10 feet long and more than filled an express wagon. It had to be shot twice and harpooned six times before it gave up the battle. The coupon will admit one child only.

Winchester Star Whale Coupon

This coupon, presented by any boy or girl of 16 years of age or under, is
GOOD FOR ONE ADMISSION, SATURDAY, MARCH 13
to See the Great Whale, at
OTIS WHARF, ATLANTIC AVENUE,
(Near the foot of Oliver Street.)
The Exhibition Will Be Open from 9 A. M. Until 5 P. M.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

A very interesting and humorous talk was given, last Monday, before the Fortnightly, by Rev. Roland Grant.

He stated that he had crossed this continent fifty times, and visited every large city in the United States, as well as many towns of lesser note. His first trip was taken in the original Lewis and Clark trail, a relay of 500 hundred horses being brought into service. Since the pioneers opened this great western region its growth has been steady and almost inconceivable, until now the great north-west is in a condition to vie with any Section of the Union. In the forties Daniel Webster said, "I will never vote to bring Oregon nearer to Boston. It is not worth it." It was asserted at that time, that to reach the region beyond the Rocky Mountains, tunnels 500 feet in length would be required and that the only use that could ever be made of it would be one similar to Russia's Siberia or England's Botamy Bay.

In 1805, Detroit was only two acres in area. In 1826, the first steamboat ran on Lake Michigan. In 1850, Chicago had only 28,000 inhabitants, and the territory of Washington but 12,000. Ohio has grown from 30,000 to 2,000,000. In 1800, Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois and Michigan were collectively known as Indian Territory, with but 6,000 white people in the entire region.

The speaker was emphatic in his opinion that the indescribable beauty of the great West, and the value and importance of its large cities, were little understood and appreciated by the eastern section of this country, and gave some amusing anecdotes arising from this misunderstanding. He said that many people have an idea of the far west as very illiterate. To prove the contrary he gave a few statistics. In point of literacy, Nebraska stands first, Wyoming second, Massachusetts twenty-first, the District of Columbia twenty-second.

The speaker told of the delightful climate and mild winters west of the Rocky Mountains. Many erroneously attribute this to the Japanese current, as they do the mildness of the climate of England to the Gulf Stream. In reality, it is due to the movement of the thermal current, which is always east or west.

Dr. Grant spoke in high terms of the character of the Chinese, and especially their capability as servants. If not excluded from our country, we might find in them a solution of the domestic problem.

The lecture was preceded by a group of songs by Miss Alice R. Lancaster of Boston, a very attractive singer, who was well accompanied by Mrs. Tufts and warmly applauded by the audience.

All members of The Fortnightly are invited to attend an Educational Conference in Fitchburg, tomorrow, March 13.

Trains leave the South Station at 11 and 11.30 and from Fitchburg at 4.03.

Never has a lecturer received such enthusiastic applause from The Fortnightly as was given Dr. Roland Grant at the last meeting of the Club. So it is with great pleasure, we announce that on Tuesday evening, March 23, Dr. Grant will lecture in the Town Hall. Subject: "Trees in Eden or Snakes in Paradise."

Tickets at fifty cents each, may be obtained from Mrs. H. A. Wheeler, Miss Folts and at the door.

THE DOROTHEA DIX CHILDREN.

An entertainment by the Dorothea Dix children for the benefit of the Vacation School is to be given under the auspices of "The Fortnightly," Saturday afternoon, March 27, at 2.45 in the Town Hall. A most attractive program is assured to both parents and children. Tickets 35 cents each, may be obtained from the committee, Mrs. William Belcher, Mrs. Frank White, Miss Elise Belcher, Miss Amy White; also from the following patronesses, Mrs. H. A. Wheeler, Mrs. O. C. Sanborn, Mrs. Frank Cutting, Mrs. Henry Stone, Mrs. William Lafavour, Mrs. Arthur Richardson, Mrs. Freeland Hovey, Mrs. E. A. Tucker, Mrs. Charles Whitten, Mrs. H. E. Wellington.

NEW AUTOMOBILE GARAGE.

The lot of land known as the old Sanderson property on the corner of Main and Elmwood streets has been bought by Goddu Bros. and I. L. Symmes, who will at once erect an up to date Automobile Garage.

The building will be fireproof, one story high and be built of concrete cement, and have a storage capacity for about thirty automobiles.

The front of the building will have an attractive appearance and be fitted with an office and supply room on one side of the main entrance and ladies' waiting room on the other. In the rear of the building will be located the wash stand and a repair shop 25x40 feet, which will be fitted with as good machine for repair work as will be found in any shop in New England.

The repair work will be done by machinists who have had years of experience in automobile work and have owned autos and know the desire of owners of automobiles to have work done in a satisfactory manner. Automobiles will be kept for rent and a full line of general supplies such as tires, gasoline, oils and sundries, will be found on hand at all times.

It is the intention of the owners to keep a first class garage and serve its patrons in a most satisfactory manner.

FUNERAL OF DR. MARCH

Woburn's "Grand Old Man" Is Laid At Rest.

First Church Filled With People of All Creeds and Denominations.

For two hours preceding the funeral services Sunday afternoon, the body of Dr. March lay in state in the First Congregational Church, Woburn, where more than 2,500, including a very large number of children, representing every creed and denomination, filed past the bier and looked for the last time upon the beloved face that so many years had been a familiar one in the community.

The services were at 3 o'clock, and the church was completely filled, at least 1500 attending, including large delegations from adjoining towns and members of the G. A. R.

The exercises included an invocation by Rev. Austin H. Herrick of the Methodist church; singing "I Heard a Voice from Heaven," by the church quartet, Prof. Hood, director; reading of the Scripture, Rev. Henry B. Williams, D. D., of the Baptist Church; singing "Yea, Tho' I Walk Through the Valley," quartet; personal tributes by Rev. D. Augustine Newton of this town for the Woburn Conference, Rev. Henry C. Parker of the Unitarian church for the local churches, and Rev. S. A. Norton, D. D., of the First Congregational Church for the church which Dr. March served as pastor for 30 years, and of which he was pastor emeritus at his death.

Following Dr. Norton's address the congregation sang "Adeste Fideles;" prayer was offered by Rev. Frank S. Hunnewell of Reading; the quartet sang Sullivan's hymn "The Home Land," and the benediction was spoken by Rev. George H. Tilton of the North Congregational Church.

At the close of the service the casket was borne from the church, upon the shoulders of the pall bearers. As the procession marched out, the congregation stood in respectful silence and organist Hood played Chopin's "Funeral March."

As the funeral procession moved on its way to the cemetery, the church bell was tolled, and at the grave Rev. Stephen A. Norton offered prayer.

Daniel March was born at Millbury, Mass., July 21, 1816, the son of Samuel and Zoa (Park) March, and his early education was gained in the district school of his native town. At the age of 17, he entered Millbury Academy, where he prepared for college, taking up Latin and Greek, in both of which he became proficient, and later studied at Amherst College, but owing to ill health, he left college and was engaged as a traveling book-agent through New York state until his health was restored when he took up teaching and was for a time principal of the Chester, Vt., Academy. Later he entered Yale College, from which he graduated in 1840. For three years following his graduation he was principal of the Fairfield, Ct., Academy and then entered the Yale Theological school. Completing his theological studies, he was ordained to the ministry as pastor of the Congregational church in Cheshire, Ct., April 25, 1845. Going from Cheshire to Nashua, N. H., in 1848, he served as pastor of the Congregational church in that city until 1856, when he came to Woburn as pastor of the First Congregational church, resigning in 1862, to go to Philadelphia where he remained for several years returning to Woburn in 1876, as active pastor of the First Church until 1895, since which time he has been pastor emeritus.

In addition to his pastorate duties, Dr. March was a prolific writer, being the author of many books bearing on religious subjects, several of them having been translated into several foreign languages.

Among his most noted works are "Night Scenes from the Bible," "From Dark to Dawn," "Home Life in the Bible," "Our Father's House," "Days of the Son of Man," and "The First Khedive," the sales of which have run into the hundreds of thousands. Up to the time of his last illness a few weeks ago, he retained his study in the First Church, where he pursued his literary work with that same untiring regularity which has been a marked feature of his life.

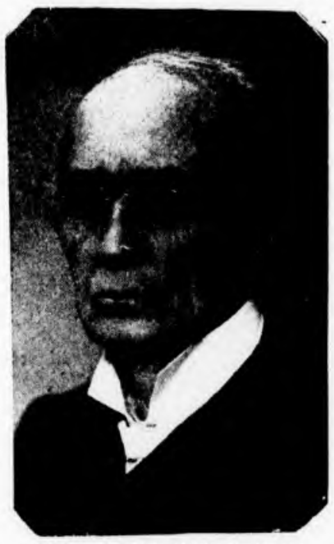
He has been an extensive traveller, crossing the ocean several times, not only visiting every country in the world, but the isles of the sea, as well, and had lectured all over the country on the subject of his travels and studies in foreign lands.

He had been twice married, his first wife, to whom he was married October 8, 1841, was Miss Jane P. Gilson of Proctorsville, Vt., who died February 27, 1857. His second marriage was to Anna B. Laconte of Cheshire, Ct., April 29, 1859, and her death occurred in Woburn, April 8, 1878.

He is survived by two sons, Frederick W., a missionary in Syria, and Charles A., in the government employ at Washington. Another son, Daniel March, Jr., M. D., died in Winchester, several years ago.

Tribute by Rev. D. Augustine Newton

No moaning of the bar and no fulsome eulogy. The one whose voice is stilled would not wish it; the one who speaks is not equal to it; yet it would not be right to be silent on this occasion. We would do violence to our own affection if we did not bring a loving word of tribute and appreciation. For it is no ordinary event that calls us together today. Indeed, the coming of death is always an occasion for reverent thought, for sacred memory. But for other reasons than this is our coming together today noteworthy, for we are here to



REV. DANIEL MARCH, D. D.

honor the memory of no common man. Dear, venerable, distinguished Dr. March, able author, inspiring preacher, and beloved pastor, the grand old man and yet possessing a spirit as young and progressive as any in all this locality, has passed away. He will be greatly missed, for I presume there was not a more familiar figure in all Woburn than was his, even the little children knowing him well, I am told. We cannot mourn, but rather rejoice at this translation to glory after so long and useful a life. It is much, it is an achievement, to have reached to nearly 93 years, the more so to have reached that age with strength of mind undimmed and zeal of spirit unabated. Most men grow weary as life passes into age, even if they do not lose the power of work. But here was a man who was keen in his devotion to study, in the dissemination of truth, in the doing of the work of life, in his ninetieth year as in his fortieth. He was the Nestor among us.

Yes, and more than that. He has been a friend, counselor and father to all the churches and ministers of this conference. Well do I remember my first and second meetings with Dr. March. The first time was at my installation as pastor of the Stoneham Church and he preached the sermon so full of wisdom and inspiration and the spirit of Christ. The second time was when he called upon me one afternoon soon after in my home. I then came to have a glimpse of what a wealth of knowledge and experience he possessed. He had a story or an incident to illustrate every question that arose, and I was charmed with that dry wit and humor which he frequently expressed. His unassuming fatherliness made it easy for a young man to open his heart to him. My relations to him have been such as to enable me to understand and share the grateful affection which his parishioners and the ministers who have succeeded him here all have had for him. It is a privilege to express for the Woburn Conference, for the people among whom I live, in a daughter church and for myself our heartfelt thanks for the friendship and the help we have received from him.

It has been true for years in this city and towns round about that many who have had no personal interest in the Christian faith, or in the church of Jesus Christ, have taken knowledge of Dr. March that he has had fellowship with God. They may have refused to believe in the Bible, refused to believe in the Christian religion but they have said to themselves, and said to others, "We do believe in Dr. March." His life has been a living unanswerable argument in favor of Christianity, and it has put to silence the doubter and the questioner. This good man won the hearts, and commanded the confidence, of those who have little or no sympathy with the church or the things for which the church of Christ is supposed to stand. "He had a good report of them which are without." Though unconscious of it himself, his life has been a source of measureless power in this region. His fellowship with God so clarified his vision and so filled him with the Master's spirit that his life was characterized with rare singleness of aim and devotedness of purpose.

The Kingdom of God and His righteousness were always first in his thought and in his activity. In his view human life was serious. While of a most cheerful optimistic spirit, a lover of nature, of children, of old people, of music and hymns, interested in men and affairs, a most wholesome man, yet he was also at the farthest possible remove from any thing like levity or flippancy, either in conversation or conduct. Of the holiday view of life he knew nothing in experience. There was in his ransomed nature a tremendous undercurrent of seriousness, tempered with sanity and good sense. He had an exacting conscience, always lenient towards others, but strict with himself. Duty was his delight and he received as distinct a ministry of the Lord Jesus as any man ever had. "This one thing I do." "The love of Christ constraineth me." "Instant in season, out of season." "Always abounding in the work of the Lord." Such inspired and inspiring words as these were ever whispering their urgent message into his listening and willing ears, and became watchwords of his life and preaching. Those who do not know Dr. March might think the statement I now make as extravagant, but those who know him will know and mark that it is well within the bounds of truth. There is hardly a doctrine, or precept, or virtue or grace, or attainment mentioned in the Word of God, which did not find more or less full expression in the life of the servant of God. Whatever it forbade, he eschewed. Whatever it commanded he aimed to do. "He adorned the doctrine of God our Saviour in all things." He was a veritable son of consolation to many poor and needy in his long life of more than 92 years. He had not only a sympathetic heart, but a discriminating judgment, and more than all, the rare gift of reticence. He knew how to hold his tongue. Into his willing ears for so many years were poured many a tale of trouble and loss and heartache, and oftentimes, alas, of sin, for everybody trusted him and he never betrayed a confidence. As he walked along the ways of life, he poured in the healing balm wherever possible, and then kept silent and carried the matter to God.

He was pre-eminently a man of God. He was a fine illustration of what it is to be spiritually minded. Spiritually minded and yet possessed of that practical application of life and truth to the everyday needs and work of his people.

But these words of loving testimony must not be prolonged. You may see fit in this Church, which he served so faithfully for so many years to put a picture of him or a bronze tablet upon the wall to his memory. If so it will at last yield to the effacing touch of time or perhaps be consumed in flames as have our church buildings in Wakefield and Reading. But his best and most enduring monument will be in our human hearts and lives which send out their influence forever. We will best honor his memory, not by memorial services, not by tears and sorrow, but by accepting his Saviour for our Saviour, and by taking up with strong courageous purpose the same service for God in which he was engaged through so many years. Not that you will become preachers, but you will become useful Christians. No more lasting memorial I say could there be than that every one now living who has come under the ministry of Dr. March should give their hearts to God. God grant that this may be so. All of us ought to be better men and women than we ever have been that the world may not sustain an irreparable loss when its noble Christian men fall by our side.

May his mantle fall upon the beloved pastor of this church and all the ministers of the Woburn Conference and also upon all the Christian people to whom he has ministered. "Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life and may enter in through the gates into the city."

We may surely believe that these beautiful words written by Dr. March have verily been fulfilled in his experience now:—

"We shall know our loved companions
When we reach our Father's door;
They'll not seem to us like strangers
Whom we never met before.
Long they cheered us on our journey,
All our sorrows they did share;
Well we knew them, walking with us,
We shall know them better there.
They will come to bid us welcome
When we pass the golden gate;
They will look for our arrival,
They will look and kindly wait.
They will lead us to our Saviour,
Where the countless numbers throng;
Round his throne they now are singing,
We shall learn from them the song.
We shall tell them how we sorrowed
When they left our earthly home;
They will tell us of the mansions
Where such partings never come.
We shall walk with them in gardens
Where the tree of life is evergreen,
We shall see them in their beauty,
And no cloud will come between.
We shall dwell with them in mansions
Which our Saviour has prepared;
Sweeter then shall be their friendship
Than we here have ever shared.
We will dry our tears at parting,
For our meeting soon will come;
Then our griefs will be forgotten
In our Saviour's blessed home."

AT ONE HALF OLD RATES.

Accompany a little booklet received from the Edison Co. was the following bit of information which we believe will be of interest to readers of the STAR:

You will be interested to know that this little booklet contains all of the rates in use by the Edison Company, and that they are the simplest and most concise used by any electric power company in the world.

The legal rate remains, of course, at 12 per kilowatt hour. It is particularly important, however, for people to appreciate that with this rate and the new lamps which have been available for many months, electric lighting costs one-half what it did even as late as last June. It would appear that no one can now afford to be without electric light.

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TOWN Meeting.

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MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1909,

at 7.45 p. m.,

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I was born and brought up on a New Hampshire farm and have lived and associated with the hen for the greater part of my life. I am well aware of the fact that, being brought up with the hen business, has helped me to be successful, since I started on my own account three years ago this spring. There is no reason why any person should not make a success, if they will only use good judgment and start with good foundation stock, stock that has been bred to lay early and everlasting at it. One third of the poultry men fail because they do not breed right, one third because they do not feed right, are stingy, the other third because they don't keep the houses and poultry clean. Now why not breed and feed right and keep everything clean and dry? I have tried to do all three and by my figures below you can be the judge.

In 1906, I did some experimenting one way and another, and from 100 pullets and 50 yearling hens I cleared up about $1.35 per hen. The next year, 1907, was somewhat better with a profit of $1.50 per hen. In 1908, and the price of grain very high, I cleared, from 140 pullets and 75 yearling hens, $370.00, or $1.70 per hen. For 1909, I am satisfied that I will beat all former figures. All eggs were sold at wholesale and averaged 50c. per dozen for the month of December. Eggs sold amounted to $101.06, the cost of feed etc., $30.20; this leaves a very good profit of $78.86 for one month. I do not think that these figures are in anyway wonderful, and perhaps no better than lots of poultry men are doing. I tell them simply to show that hens properly bred and cared for will pay a very large profit.

It is my ambition to keep 500 hens and clear $1000.00 per year.

I breed the Rhode Island Reds because I think they are wonderful layers, good table poultry and very pleasing to the eye.

Cor. Reading Chronicle.

BOSTON THEATRE.

With the engagement of "Way Down East," which has been playing to capacity houses all last week, the Boston Theatre has come into its own again as one of the most popular play houses in America. The management announces for two weeks, beginning Monday, "The Man of The Hour," under the management of William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer. This play of today which fits the municipal politics of any large city, is by George Broadhurst, and enjoyed a spectacular run at another Boston theatre last season.

The cast will be headed by Cyril Scott, recently seen as a star in his own right in "The Prince Chap" and "The Royal Mounted." The feminine part of the company will be headed by Miss Lillian Kemble, a great favorite in Boston, and among other favorites in the cast are Kate Lester, Marian Chapman, Barley Holmes, Harry Harwood, James E. Wilson and William Deming.

Seats are now on sale at the box office for this engagement, and mail orders will receive prompt attention. It should be remembered that there are 800 of the best seats on the lower floor of the Boston reserved at $1.00 each for every performance.

Miss Leslie E. Taylor is spending two weeks at Bellows Falls, Vermont.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

Attention is called to the special meeting for prayer and conference to be held March 15, at 2.30 p. m. in Phillips Brooks Hall, Frances E. Willard Settlement, 3 Chambers street, Boston, under the direction of the Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Everyone interested is invited; every member is urged to attend. These meetings are to be held the first and third Mondays of each month.

Members of the local Union are asked to plan their contributions for the Easter box of delicacies to be contributed to the W. C. U. Flower Mission, and also of articles for the sale to be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of Easter week. It is to take the form of a carnival of Days and all kinds of articles will be acceptable for the various booths.

The Union Signal current number is devoted to the exposition of the progress made by prohibition, either State-wide or by option laws. To one who has not kept pace with the movement it is little less than overwhelming to see how many States have no legalized saloon. The report says: "Massachusetts claims the largest saloonless city in the world, Worcester, and six out of the ten largest cities in the United States that are under prohibition by state or local action." Nine states have full prohibition. This does not include Iowa whose prohibition law has been nullified by the mulct law although very few of the towns have open saloons.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

Of all the many celebrities that have entered vaudeville in recent years none have made a greater success than Mike Donlin, the famous ball player of New York. This may have been due in the beginning very largely to the fact that he was associated with his clever wife, Mabel Hite, in a sketch which fit the pair like a glove. When they made their first appearance in New York crowds went to see the ball player with no idea of what he was to do and it proved a pleasant surprise all round. Those who came out of curiosity saw a remarkably good vaudeville act and Mr. Donlin held up his end in the most satisfactory manner. This was at the beginning of the season and their success has grown ever since. They now come to Keith's at the height of their popularity in a new field.

They will be one of the features of a remarkably good bill which will contain a number of old favorites, including W. C. Fields, the juggler, who has always been unique in his particular line.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The summer school of agriculture established two years ago at Massachusetts Agriculture College in Amherst will be continued in 1909. In fact it is now regarded as a permanent institution, having proved decidedly popular and successful during the last two summers.

The attendance comes from all parts of New England, but most largely from Massachusetts, a surprisingly large proportion being from the cities. School teachers predominate, but a good many land and lot owners go for the sake of the short practical courses in agriculture and horticulture.

The school this year will run for six weeks in July and August, with courses in field crops, gardening, dairying, fruit growing, live stock, chemistry, plant life, bird life, insect life, etc., etc. Some of these courses are specially designed for grade teachers, some for high school teachers, others for practical people who do not teach, others for the clergy, so that everyone who has a week or more to spare can find something useful and interesting to do.

Switches made from combing $1.00 to $1.50 at Mrs. Doherty's. Rooms 8 and 9, Post Office Bldg., Woburn, Mass.

TOWN MEETING.

Advocates of the old fashioned New England town meeting must have been satisfied with what took place at the second session of the annual meeting Monday evening. The principal regret among these gentlemen is that the old-time debates are disappearing, that there is too much cut-and-dried and taken-for granted flavor to them, and that our young men are deprived of the benefits of these old-time debating schools. This may be true regarding the appropriations, but when it comes to the other portions of the town warrant talk is plentiful and all are given an opportunity to air their views. This can also be done in the case of appropriations, if citizens desire to seek information.

As had been anticipated, the article relating to prohibiting fishing in the reservoirs brought forth a great flood of oratory, that was not only instructive but illuminating. A singular thing was that after the debate had ended and the article passed, both sides appeared to be perfectly satisfied with the outcome, which was that the State Board of Health formulate regulations that would prevent the contamination of the town's water supply. This is what the inhabitants want, a supply as pure as it is possible to make it. About an hour and a half was required to settle the question.

An article that was passed and which is of much importance to the people was that reducing the minimum charge for meter rates from $12 to $8. This gives all a square deal; the people pay for what they get, and most important, it will conserve the water supply and prevent waste. These were the most important articles acted upon. There are twelve more articles to be considered next Monday evening.

Moderator Harris called the meeting to order, and his first act was to read the names of the Appropriations Committee for the current year. At the meeting last week a vote was passed instructing the Moderator and the Chairman and Secretary of the out-going committee to bring in a list of names. This list can be found elsewhere.

The School Committee was authorized to spend a portion of the appropriations for support of the schools in transporting children residing in remote points to and from the public schools.

The Selectmen were authorized to employ a town counsel and also a town engineer.

The Collector of Taxes was instructed to charge interest at the rate of six per cent on unpaid taxes after November first.

Mr. W. L. Tuck offered a motion that the School Committee be instructed to increase the salaries of all teachers who receive $15 a week or less, ten per cent. Mr. F. E. Rowe raised the point of order, that the article under which Mr. Tuck offered his motion was not germane to the subject. The Moderator sustained Mr. Rowe.

Mr. Tuck wanted to know what the town was receiving in rent for the house on Linden street belonging to the town. Ruled out of order.

CHANGE IN TERM OF SELECTMEN.

Mr. F. V. Wooster offered the following:

Moved, That the town hereby accepts the provisions of section 367 of Chapter 560 of the acts of 1907, and in accordance therewith, shall, at the next annual town meeting elect one Selectman for the term of one year; two for terms of two years and two for the terms of three years, and at each annual meeting thereafter, shall elect one or two for the term of three years, as the term of one or two expires.

Mr. Wooster considered that it would be of advantage to the town to make the term of Selectmen three years, for the reason that as it is now, it takes a year to become acquainted with the duties of the Board.

Mr. John H. Carter did not believe a change was desirable or necessary. With a one year term an unsatisfactory man could be dropped, but in the case of three years he could not be got rid of until his term expired. The motion was lost.

METER MINIMUM CHARGE REDUCED.

Mr. Henry C. Ordway, Chairman of the Water and Sewer Board offered the following, which was carried:

Voted, That the town do amend article V, section 13 of its laws relating to meter charges for use of water by striking out the words "twelve" in the sentence "The minimum charge for metered water for all other purposes shall be twelve dollars a year" and inserting the word "eight" in place thereof, so that as amended said sentence in said by-laws shall read as follows:

"The minimum charge for metered water for all other purposes shall be eight dollars a year." Such amendment to take effect on the first day of July following its approval by the Attorney General.

Mr. Ordway said that 30 per cent of the town was metered, and it was intended to take in the balance as fast as possible. Some families are now paying $4 per year and to compel them to pay a minimum charge of $12 would be a hardship. The object of using meters was to conserve the water, which was absolutely necessary.

Mr. A. E. Whitney favored the reduction even if it did cost the town more money.

SIDEWALKS ON PARKWAY.

Mr. F. V. Wooster offered the following:

Moved, That the Selectmen are hereby requested to confer with the Metropolitan Park Commissioners in regard to improvement of the sidewalks on the parkway between Highland avenue and the railroad station, especially that portion lying between Washington and Main streets.

Mr. Wooster spoke of the bad condition of the sidewalks.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

Mr. James H. Dwinell of the Board of Selectmen offered the following, which was carried:

Moved, That the Selectmen in co-operation with the town counsel and the special committee on street lighting confer with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston regarding a contract for street lighting, and report at an adjournment of this meeting or at a future town meeting.

GRANOLITHIC SIDEWALKS.

Mr. F. V. Wooster offered a motion, which was lost, that the Selectmen consider the matter of having the sidewalks made of cement instead of tar concrete. He thought that a beginning should be made commencing with the principal streets diverging from the centre of the town.

Mr. G. A. Woods opposed the motion believing that the question should be left to the Selectmen.

FISHING IN THE RESERVOIRS.

Mr. F. M. Ives offered the following:

Moved, The Winchester Water and Sewer Board is hereby requested to petition the State Board of Health to make rules and regulations to prevent the pollution and to secure the sanitary protection of all inland waters and all streams and ponds used by the town as a source of water supply, and until such rules and regulations are established, fishing in the reservoirs of the town is hereby prohibited.

This motion brought out long discussions pro. and con. participated in by Mr. Ives, Mr. Ordway, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Carter, Mr. Tuck, Mr. Russell, Mr. Main, Mr. Hall and others.

Mr. Whitney moved to amend by adding to the end of the motion, "Owing to present lawless fishing at the Winchester water reservoirs." This was voted down. There were other amendments, but the motion as finally passed was as above.

The meeting adjourned at 10.15 to next Monday evening at 7.45.

MR. WHITNEY'S REMARKS.

A summary of Mr. Whitney's remarks at the meeting on Monday night follows:

Mr. A. E. Whitney followed Mr. Ives and facetiously said his argumentive "thunder" had been stolen as the Water Board had all along claimed that a town by-law absolutely forbidding fishing was what was wanted. It was so stated in the STAR by one of the Water Board and by a member of the Board of Health and the speaker came prepared to prove that such a by-law would not be of any effect in stopping illegal fishing. It was statute law that we wanted and there was plenty of that already if the Water Board or Board of Health would enforce it. He said Mr. Ives' motion was all right and much better than his first proposed by-law except the clause forbidding all fishing, even the most restricted. Mr. Whitney claimed that the State Board of Health was the proper and only legal tribunal to settle the fishing dispute and he knew it last year when the town Board of Health was instructed to make as restricted rules as it saw fit which could be altered or ratified by the State Board before making them operative. Mr. Whitney said he had called on the State Board of Health and the Fish and Game Commission several times since late pollution of our reservoirs and both Boards have been very polite and given him much information as to the application of health laws in the care of reservoirs and the enforcement of inland fisheries law. Both Boards emphatically said that the State Board of Health was the authority to apply to under an amendment to health laws passed in 1907 to stop illegal fishing or pollution of our reservoirs. The Fish and Game Commission informed Mr. Whitney that the law protecting fish now on the statute books was ample to prevent illegal fishing at the reservoirs without permission of the "proprietors," which in this case was the inhabitants of the town of Winchester. Mr. Whitney read quite a number of sections of the revised law to prove his statement which seemed to plainly back up his argument. He said the Water Board and the Board of Health ought to have consulted the Fish and Game Commission and State Board of Health during the late pollutions at the reservoirs instead of the attorneys of the Met. Parks Commission, who gave both Boards "heaps" of advice not to carry out the fishing vote of last March and confounded town by-laws, town votes and statute law in a most curious manner. If the Town Board of Health had consulted the Fish and Game Commission as per vote of the town the former would have found out more about fishing laws and how to prevent illegal fishing than they did from the Water Board attorneys or from their own attorneys, but the Winchester Board never called upon the Fish and Game Commission and therefore illegal fishing and much worse violations of statute law has been going on for a year at the reservoir without effort from anyone to stop them. He blamed the Board of Health for not reporting to the town more promptly that the town vote authorizing fishing was in their opinion faulty, and inoperative as it was three weeks after it was voted before town meeting disolved. In fact, neither the Board of Health or the Water Board had reported in the town report one word of the carnival of pollution and broken laws which has been held at the reservoirs all winter, Sunday and every day, which omission is clearly against the statute law. The matter was first brought out in the STAR but not by either Board. Mr. Whitney exceeded his limit but was granted further time. He concluded by hoping the whole matter would be referred to the State Board of Health for settlement as he thought it would settle it to the satisfaction of all, fishing or no fishing. He moved a substitution of the Water Board vote which substitution left out the clause asking for prohibition of all fishing, thus leaving the matter for the Board to decide and included a request for a public hearing. The Moderator said that he doubted if substitution was proper without unanimous consent and as Mr. Arthur Russell said he would move an amendment to the Water Board motion striking out the fishing prohibition clause if the Moderator decided against Mr. Whitney's motion, Mr. Whitney promptly withdrew it as Mr. Russell's motion would accomplish what he desired in a shorter, quicker way. Mr. Russell then made the following amendment to the Water Board motion to strike out all reference to fishing prohibition, leaving it to the decision of the State Board to do as it thought best in the matter. Mr. Whitney recently scored the park police for not enforcing common statute law against open pollution and violation of game laws at the reservoirs according to terms of the lease from the town.

Fine Stationery at Wilson the Stationer.

FOR VALUE RECEIVED.

There is some agitation at present in certain Women's Clubs because of the impending raising of dues to meet club expenses. If we are correctly informed, this is occasioned by the increased demands of the talent engaged as entertainers at such clubs. The first thing to be considered is, are these demands just? We are told that certain talent has combined into a syndicate that enables it to establish the advance prices on their services. To pay them these prices, the dues must be raised. But why pay them? The ladies have it in their own hands. Their national and state organizations are larger than "organized talent," and they have but to say that they will not employ any of these persons in the syndicate and they will be out of a job. This is a chance for the women's clubs to do some real practical good. We believe in the merit system as applied to the individual and not making prices go up by force. This is a sorry species of anarchy.

We are personally acquainted with the season's programs of several clubs for some years past. They have been of a high class of merit and in most cases most commendable, but, in a large percentage of cases, the speakers and lecturers have not only been generously paid, but at times overpaid for the work furnished or entertainment afforded. Many of the most distinguished have seemed to figure that their name and presence were sufficient, and it did not so much matter what the quality of their entertainment was. Let the women of the club show some independence and ingenuity in finding local talent and introducing it, and not pay such exhorbitant sums for a tickling cymbal and an empty name. Let these famous people alone to enjoy being struck on themselves.

A reading was given not long ago (by a woman who has been clever enough to make herself and reading a fad) for which we are told the sum of seventy-five dollars was paid. The price would have been more than generous had it been twenty-five dollars, and this is not said in disparagement, but as simply stating a fact. The same authors, lecturers and talented people are said to be very coy when you engage them and keep club committees on the tether hooks as to whether they can give them a date or not. If they can't give you the date you want and stick to it, why try the next man, even if you think he is not quite such a "catch." Just take the matter in your own hands, ladies, and decline to be dictated to or coerced.

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Rev. Daniel March, D. D.

Probably no more impressive or largely attended services were yet held in this vicinity than those of the funeral of Rev. Daniel March, D. D., at Woburn on Sunday last. Beloved by all, irrespective of color or creed, this good man has gone to his final rest leaving behind him none but friends—hosts in number—all of whom will cherish his memory throughout their life.

Scarlet Fever.

The continued epidemic of scarlet fever in the public schools has caused many parents to become alarmed for the safety of their children, with the result that upon the discovery of a case in the school in which their child is attending, he is kept at home for a period. This is unwise. With the child out of school for an unknown cause it is difficult for the school physician to keep in touch with it. The majority of the cases here are light, and it frequently happens that children so kept away unknowingly pass through a light attack of the disease, only to return at the worst possible time—when peeling.

With the scholar in regular attendance, he is under the surveillance of the school physician, and any absence from sickness is promptly noted and investigated, and should he be afflicted with a contageous disease quarantine is put on, the school rooms disinfected and the other scholars properly protected.

The New School Committee.

The action of the new School Committee, taken at its meeting last Friday night, must prove to be a source of considerable satisfaction to the citizens who so heartily elected these gentlemen to the office.

We refer to the open meetings, announcement of which is made elsewhere in this issue.

By this action the committee has shown most significantly its desire to conduct the school business and all educational matters in close touch with the parents. Furthermore, that it desires suggestions and criticisms on all matters within its province which will eliminate faults and increase the school efficiency.

It is to be hoped that all who have grievance against the present system will avail themselves of this opportunity, so that the committee may get at the real seat of the trouble that has caused so much commotion during the past few months. We know that it is desirous of securing harmony where there has been discord, and this can be done to no better advantage than at these meetings.

Each and every parent stands on an equal basis, all being afforded an opportunity to express their views, and it goes without saying that all suggestions will receive the careful consideration of the committee.

It is also the intention of the committee to keep the public informed on all matters pertaining to the schools.

Its desire to come into closer touch with the citizens should meet with the hearty favor and support which it deserves.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

March 6, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

The following committees were appointed by the Chairman:

Town Hall, Messrs. Walling and Winn.

Public Service Corporations, Messrs. Richards and Smith.

Police Licenses, State Aid and Soldiers Relief, Messrs. Smith and Dwinell.

Highway, Messrs. Dwinell and Walling.

Bills, Accounts, Treasurer's Warrants, Messrs. Winn and Richards.

Voted to approve the salary of the Inspector of Plumbing at $900 per year, as fixed by the Board of Health.

J. A. Larraway was present complaining of water running onto his land from Forest street. Referred to Supt. of Streets to investigate and report.

Received and accepted bonds of $1000 each of W. R. McIntosh and Edward F. Maguire as constables.

Voted matter of contract for cement be referred to Mr. Walling with full power to close.

Voted, Supt. of Streets be authorized to purchase sewer or drain pipes from Berry & Ferguson at price and terms quoted.

Voted to write Mr. Larraway that we would look into the matter of the wall spoken of, and would take up the matter of the water with Mr. Joslin.

Voted, Town Hall committee be authorized to fix up the grounds at an expense not to exceed $200.

Warrants drawn for $1739.21, and $641.63.

Adjourned at 10.50 p. m.

George H. Lochman, Clerk.

VIOLATION OF SUNDAY LAWS IN WINCHESTER.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I will vote against any fishing in our reservoirs every chance I can get, for aside from danger of chance pollution, I think it an idle, cruel amusement at the best. But for all this, I cannot see if the town in a fit of foolishness voted for fishing under Board of Health restrictions why such an event would give any excuse whatever for unrestricted and open pollution of our reservoirs by ice fishing, skating and hockey games on the ice by people from all over the country, especially on Sunday. People have picnicked on the ice, bringing oil stoves with them and made a day of it, smoking, chewing, drinking and fishing all at once without hindrance from anybody. What excuse is it for the water board or the board of health to say that this state of utter helplessness or imbecility to stop plain violations of common law has been brought about by the passing of the fishing vote last March?

Is all law suspended because of that vote and is there no law except what the park police choose to enforce? To think that Winchester openly allows her reservoirs to be now used on Sunday for games by foreign people from out of town after keeping out of the rabble for forty years, is a confession of weakness or worse on the part of our town officers and is a pity to witness. I voted for no fishing at the town meeting but I should have liked to vote my opinion of the course adopted by the Board of Health and the Water Board to charge up all violations of the law during the past year to the Winchester fishermen who really have done all they could do to let the Town know what has been illegally going on at the reservoirs while the two boards have told us nothing. But there was no chance to vote on that subject or to voice opinion of wholesale, and almost licensed breaking of the Lord's Day by leave of Winchester officials. The whole business is worse than the restricted fishing by Winchester citizens could possibly have been and I hope the disgrace will never be repeated.

SUNDAY OBSERVER.

RECOGNITION OF SERVICE.

By an inadvertence the signatures to the following statement were omitted in last week's STAR and it is therefore repeated.

The members of the Winchester School Committee who served with Rev. Mr. Means at the time of his resignation have put on record the following, viz.:

In recognition of the ten months during which the Rev. Frederick H. Means gave careful attention and matured judgement to the work of the School Committee, we desire to express our appreciation of his service with us and to extend to him our best wishes for his future success and happiness.

ALBERT F. BLAISDELL,
CHARLES E. L. WINGATE.

February 19, 1909.

The following minute has also been ordered to be placed on the records of the School Committee:

In view of the fact that Dr. Albert F. Blaisdell has decided to retire from the School Committee after eight years of service, the last as Chairman, we, his associates, would record appreciation of his long service, his deep interest in the welfare of pupils and teachers, and his close attention to the school problems of Winchester. As a citizen of the town, his influence will undoubtedly continue to be felt for good schools.

CHARLES E. L. WINGATE.
MARCUS B. MAY.

February 28, 1909.

OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The only reductions made by the Ap. Com. from the amounts asked for the various accounts were, surface drainage bonds $8000 less, streets $10,000, schools $100, cemetery $200, poor $300, sewers maintenance $200, Memorial Day $25. Streets and surface drainage got all they expected to get and were satisfied.

Now let the "Insurgents" get together as an "irresponsible" committee and see where they can improve upon the Ap. Com's action. Then we ought to get perfection. Who will join?

Mr. Wooster's sidewalks measure is deserving of careful consideration and a better motion would have been to refer it to the Selectmen to consider and report upon, with the idea of having a special appropriation next year.

Those who think that the State Board of Health will permit fishing in any of our reservoirs should read Chapter 467, Act of 1907 and then they ought to be able to guess right the very first time what that board will do.

Mr. Whitney made a good fight, but he knew all the time what he was up against in the law covering the question, and he would have had the laugh upon his opponents if they had not shifted their ground. It was a good fight ably fought on both sides and well worth hearing.

We will have plenty of time Monday night to go back and take up some of the reports of officials and committees and bring out some things in the town's interest. This is the time to do it and questions should be asked under article four. For instance, could not the water be diverted form Long pond southeasterly to the South reservoir, where we need it, and not carry it in the proposed Washington street drainage plan? Linden street house? Lack of proper order in the library? Hours at town offices? Assessors valuations? Further consolidation of clerkships and departments? Study the town report.

If the grade crossing abolition commission files its report by Monday, Article 20 of the warrant may have more importance than it has at present, and we may desire to take some action under it. The commission has decided and will file its report in court just as soon as the engineer's plans have been put into proper shape. When this report comes out it will wake the town up as it has not been since the big fight on Manchester Field proposition in 1894, when the vote was the largest that has ever been cast in our town meetings. There are so many other important things waiting for this crossing abolition that its importance is very large to this town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marshall of Webster street left this week for Philadelphia, where they will make their future home.

UNION EVANGELISTIC SERVICE

There will be a Union Evangelistic Service, Sunday at 7 p. m. at the Congregational church. Prof. Albert C. Kundson, Ph. D. of Boston University will preach. There will be special music. Mrs. Lafayette Goodhar of Boston and Prof. A. E. Brown of this town will sing. All those who were in the chorus during the union services are invited to occupy the front seats. This service is to continue and deepen the grand work accomplished under Dr. Smith. Let all our townspeople rally for this union evening worship.

WASHERS CLEANED UP.

Although no high scores were made, there was an interesting game between the washers and drivers of Winchester Laundry at the Knight alleys Monday night. The washers got two out of three strings from the drivers.

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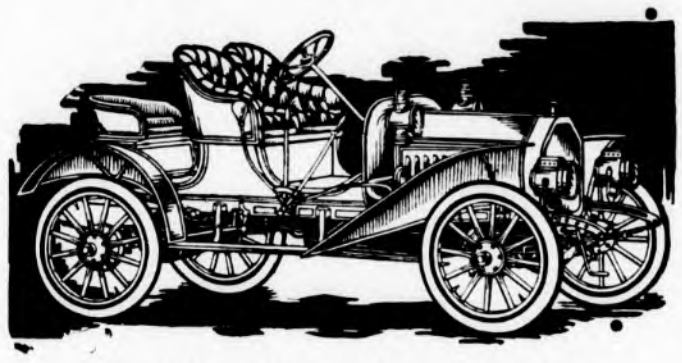

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John S. Hodgson of this town, secretary of the Government Board Committee, commented upon government of cities in England and argued in favor of independent control of bond loans involving posterity. The very best governed cities need, he said, some outside control over long loans and should not be tried by the narrow 5¼ limit. English cities enjoy such control.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.

Everybody who knows George Bernard Shaw's wit will want to see "You Never Can Tell" at the Castle Square next week and many thousands more will want to laugh at the genial Irishman's humor of which they have heard so much. Mr. Craig will be giving this most humorous of farcial comedies its first stock presentation in Boston, and none of his patrons will be disappointed.

With such a lively play, and the liveliest of casts, "You Never Can Tell" cannot help but please during the coming week at the Castle Square. The twins will be played by Miss Mary Young and her brother, Bert Young, who joins the John Craig Stock Company for a special engagement, and in the other important roles will be Mr. Friebus as Fergue Crampton, Mr. Hassell as Mr. Bohon, Mr. Murray as Finch McComas, Mr. Evatts as William, Mr. Meek as Valentine, Miss Colcord as Mrs. Clandon and Miss Binley as Gloria Clandon.

"You Never Can Tell" will have a run of only one week at the Castle Square, and that week will doubtless be all too short to accommodate the many that want to see this brilliant piece of Mr. Shaw's humor.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Royal S. Carr returned from California this morning.

Mr. William Miller and family have moved into the Winn house, corner of Mystic avenue and Main street.

Richard, the little son of Mr. Chester P. Dodge, is recovering from an illness of two weeks, following a delicate operation of the throat.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loring and son Ralph, of Hingham, were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Tower of Highland avenue.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Flowers of Washington street will be glad to learn that she is slowly recovering her health after an operation for appendicitis performed at the Melrose hospital.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Service this Friday afternoon at 5. Volunteer choir singing.

Sunday, address on Confirmation will be held in the church at 12.15 p. m., instead of at 3.30 p. m.

There will be an organ recital Sunday afternoon at 4.15. The choir master will be assisted by a male chorus of twelve voices.

At the service Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, the preacher will be the Rev. D. D. Addison, D. D., Rector of All Saints Church, Brookline.

The Woman's Guild will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour at Mrs. Anthony Kellys', Fletcher street. Mrs. Wood of Alaska will speak.

The choir guild will meet Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock at place to be announced.

The vestry will hold its adjourned meeting Wednesday evening at 8 at the rector's house.

There will be an address on Confirmation at the church next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The mid-week preacher will be the Rev. Elwood Worcester, D. D., Rector of Emanual Church, Boston. He will preach Thursday evening, March 18, at 8 o'clock.

The time of the Bishop's visit is Friday afternoon, March 26, at the 5 o'clock service.

The date of the Quiet Day should be noted. It is to come Wednesday, March 24. The leader is to be the Rev. E. S. Rousmaniere, Rector of Grace Church, Providence, R. I. Programs for the day will shortly be distributed.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

Last Sunday, both morning and evening, great joy filled the hearts of the people. In the morning the holy sacrament of the Lord' Supper was observed, and each one of those partaking seemed anxious to renew their covenant with their Lord. At this service many were added to the church. In the evening the auditorium was well filled and the service took the form of the Chapman meetings, having a good chorus and inspiring congregational singing.

The song service was led by Nelson Seelye. Miss Hattie Snow, organist, and Mr. Hermon T. Pool, cornetist, added much to the service.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Chaffee delivered a most spiritual and helpful sermon. The revival seems to have opened the understanding of the people.

Do not forget the simultaneous cottage prayer meetings tonight held at the following homes at seven forty-five: Mr. Cook, 10 Ogden Ave, Mr. Hartley, 3 Kendall St., Mr. Davidson, 22 Park Road, and Mr. Snow, 10 Forest St. Also at Mr. Dover's, 11 Vine St. Neighbors cordially invited. We regret to learn of the illness of Rev. John R. Chaffee. He has been under great mental and physical strain during the last few weeks in connection with the revival work in our midst, and this hard, faithful work from house to house is responsible for his temporary illness. All sincerely hope for his speedy recovery.

Do not forget the men's Bible class at twelve o'clock on Sunday noon. The class opened last Sunday with an enthusiastic beginning.

The class is held upstairs in one corner of the auditorium which makes it a convenient and quiet class room. The leader, Mr. Crouch invites all men to come in, even if they have not studied the lesson. The class closes promptly at one o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister. Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Tests and Choices." Anthem "O Praise the Lord of Heaven," Marks; "Incline Thine Ear," Himmel.

12 m. Sunday School. Lesson—"Aeneas and Dorcas." Acts 9: 31-43.

3.00 p. m. Children's Church. The Pastor will have charge of this service and give a brief children's sermon. All children under fourteen years of age, together with their parents or guardians, and Sunday School teachers are invited. We will meet in the front pews of the main auditorium.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. All the older young people are particularly requested to come to the meeting. Topic—"Keeping God's Commandments." Deut. 4.1-9. Leader, Dea. George S. Cabot.

7.00 p. m. Union Evangelistic Meeting in our Auditorium. Prof. Albert C. Knudson of Boston University will preach. Mrs. Lafayette Goodhar and Prof. A. E. Brown will sing. All members of the choir formed for the previous services will please occupy the front seats and bring their Alexander song books. Mr. Harry C. Sanborn will lead the song service.

Tuesday, 7.45 p. m. All those who are thinking of uniting with the Church the first Sunday in April at the special Communion will please meet the Pastor at the parsonage.

Wednesday, 4.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet in the small vestry. Learn lesson seven. Come prepared with note books to take written examination upon all the lessons to the end of the seventh. All who were absent last week will please confer with the Pastor.

7.45 p. m. Mid-week meeting for every one, young and old. Topic—"The Gladness of Christian Service." Luke 10: 17-20; John 15: 11, 12. The volunteer choir will please come at 7.15 p. m.

Thursday, 8.00 p. m. The February and March Groups have united to give a Social upon this evening in the vestry. Mr. Phidelah Rice, who is very highly recommended, will furnish a unique entertainment entitled—"Peaceful Valley." No one should miss this. Every one invited.

Saturday, 4-7.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet at the parsonage for election of officers and a good time.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor.

12.15 p. m. Bible School and meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.15 p. m. Meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society, led by a speaker from out of town.

6.15 p. m. Gospel service, with brief sermon.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week prayer and conference meeting.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Substance."

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Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Third Sunday in Lent.

10.30 a. m. Morning prayer, Litany and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

3.30 p. m. Talk on Confirmation.

4.15 p. m. Organ Recital.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Sermon by the Rev. D. D. Addison, D. D., Rector of All Saints, Brookline.

Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. Pastor's subject, "Inspiration."

12 m. Sunday School. Service will be read by Mr. George Everett Pratt.

7.00 p. m. Vespers. Preacher, Reverend Edward Hale, of Chestnut Hill. The choir will be assisted by Miss A. Laura Tolman, Violincellist.

Tuesday, Mr. Lawrance will be at the Ladies' Parlor all the afternoon and evening to receive callers.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry F. Hosler, pastor, residence, 271 Washington street.

10.15 a. m. Prayers for the Day.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with baptismal service. Prof. Albert F. Brown will sing, "Jehovah, Guide us," by Mozart, and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" by Dr. R. G. Clark. Sermon by the Pastor.

12 m. Sunday School. Classes for all.

5.00 p. m. Prudential Committee will meet those who wish to unite with the church.

6.00 p. m. Young People's meeting. Miss Jennie Crawford will lead.

7.00 p. m. Union Service in Congregational Church. Rev. Albert C. Knudson, D. D., of Boston University will speak.

Monday 4 p. m. Mission Band.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Church Prayer meeting.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship. Singing by the quartette. Sermon by the Pastor.

12.00 m. Sunday School in church vestry. Lesson, "Aeneas and Dorcas." Bible Class for Men. Leader—Mr. Leon E. Crouch.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic: "Our Pattern." Leader, Mr. Edwin Cooksley. Boston, Salvation Army captain.

7.00 p. m. Union Service at Congregational Church. See notice elsewhere.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise.

Thursday, 6.30 p. m. Parish Supper. All our congregation invited.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Cottage prayer meetings.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of March, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the WINCHESTER STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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Kicking A Goal

By LITTELL M'CLUNG.

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Though it was only an hour before the great football game between Clinton and Darnall, their conversation was not of the gridiron as they walked down Main street bound for Clinton oval.

"There's only one thing that keeps me from becoming engaged to you right now, Thornton," said the girl after a serious pause.

"You'll have to tell me, Leta. I can't guess it," answered the stalwart quarterback of the Clinton eleven.

"Just this," she said. "I am not altogether sure that you really need me in your life. You are a strong, self reliant boy, capable of fighting your own way over the obstacles that will confront you.

"More than all else put together I want to know that without my encouragement you would be accomplishing less—that I will always be an inspiration to you, no matter what your aims may be."

For a moment the young man did not reply. Then he looked at his companion, his gaze sincere.

"Leta, you're right," he agreed quietly. "That's the way I want you to feel about it. Deep down in my heart I know that you would always inspire me to strive for the best in life. But I must convince you of this, and I'll do it, too, dear girl, if I get the chance!"

"Maybe you will, Thornton," she replied, "and I hope that you will more than you can guess. Why—why not begin at the game today?"

"That's what I intend to do, Leta!" was his prompt response. "I expect to play as I never played before, just because you are wearing Clinton's colors and wearing my pennant. It's a pretty one, isn't it?

"The gold and brown stripes harmonize beautifully with that bright brown gown you are wearing. Your ticket calls for a seat back on the north goal, and I know I'll see you clearly despite the crowds."

"It certainly is fine," she declared, "that little me may be an inspiration to a Clinton boy to play at his best! But it seems almost a pity that you are not one of the halfbacks or in the line, though I know everything depends on the quarterback. He gives the signals and delivers the ball, doesn't he?"

"I know what you mean, Leta," he said. "You would like to see me in a position where I could run with the ball instead of handing it out to somebody else?"

The girl nodded.

"Well, that's because I weigh only 145 instead of 200 pounds," he continued. "After all, it takes sheer weight in the line, and that naturally slides me into the quarterback's place.

"But you mustn't forget that Clinton depends upon me to kick the goals, and a goal kicked or missed often wins or loses a big game like this."

They were now on the college grounds amid shouting hundreds and fluttering flags and pennants. Thornton assisted Leta to her seat high up in that part of the semicircular grand stand that stretched around behind the north goal.

"I hope Clinton gets the south end of the field," he said as he started off toward the clubhouse.

"Why?" she asked.

"Because then I'll be able to see the orange and brown magnet that's drawing me north toward Darnall's goal!" he said earnestly.

Soon the rival elevens trotted out on the field, and from the thousand tongued grand stand rose a mighty shout, while pennants, ribbons, handkerchiefs and flags mingled in a waving, varicolored mass.

It was the great wind-up game of the year, and there was a chance for any player to win a glory crown by making the deciding touchdown. Both elevens, it was evident, were steeled for the contest.

But, as fate would have it, Clinton got the north end of the field, and a savage quarterback waited for the umpire's signal with his back to the girl in orange who was waving a pennant—for him.

But despite this disappointment he gathered his strength for the charge, and as the shrill whistle struck his ears he leaped forward straight for the ball that lay on the line twenty yards in front of him. Biff! The oval went whirling through the air in a sixty yard parabola, with the whole Clinton team in pursuit.

The ball landed in the arms of Darnall's fullback, and the big fellow came back up the field in a series of lunges. But before a dozen yells had split the air he was down, with every Clinton man piling over him.

Then the shoulder to shoulder battle began. In three downs Darnall lost the ball. Then Thornton's opportunity came. To test Darnall's line he gave at the risk of having his own neck twisted a series of center rush signals.

Three times the husky backs charged over him, and he felt his breath going fast as Darnall hurled back the plungers. End runs were tried with but little better success. Seeing that line rushes were hopeless, he gave the signal for a kick, and Clinton's fullback sent the ball far down the field.

But Darnall hurled it back with another kick. There were more close formation plays, followed by two more long distance kicks, while the air was filled with the cries of the spectators and the sharp, quick shriek of the umpire's whistle.

The time of the first half was almost up when suddenly out of a scrimmage rolled the ball. For a second nobody excepting Clinton's quarterback knew what had become of it.

As it bounded carelessly along Thornton at one swoop seized it. Simultaneously he heard a shout on the side line, "Only forty seconds left!"

Directly in front of him, not twenty yards distant, was Darnall's goal. Even a halfway drop kick might win the game. Thornton dropped the ball to the ground and swung his right foot. A great cheer went up, which died away suddenly in a groan. The ball flew high, but it didn't go within fifty feet of either post.

"Time's up!" yelled the umpire.

Thornton felt that all Clinton was disappointed beyond expression and deeply ashamed of the showing he had made after the college had boasted of his prowess as a drop kicker. He remained in dejected seclusion during the intermission.

But when the whistle sounded again he was like another man. Clinton had the south goal this time, and clearly the quarterback saw a girl in orange swinging a pennant in the grand stand. Already the throngs had forgotten his fluke in the hope of victory in the second half.

At the kickoff Thornton sent the pigskin seventy yards down the field and then plunged into the game with ferocious energy. He determined to redeem himself or perish in the attempt.

Back and forth over the field surged the teams, while thousands shouted encouragement.

Neither eleven seemed able to break down the defense of the other until toward the end of the half, when Clinton began to come up the field steadily.

Thornton, his head clear as a bell, was playing at frightful pace, giving Darnall no time to catch its breath after each attack. But thirty yards from the goal line! Darnall braced itself heroically and stood like a stone wall.

"Only one more minute to play!" called the umpire, and the crowds took up the shout.

Thornton realized that in so short a time line plunges would be futile. There was only one hope of victory, another drop kick for a goal. While only twenty yards away, the goal posts were off to the left at an oblique angle.

There was about one chance in a dozen of putting the ball between them, but Thornton took it. He stood back of the line ready to call the signal, and the Darnall eleven, seeing it was to be kick, got ready to plunge through and break up the play.

Then suddenly the quarterback, looking directly between the goal posts, saw Leta in the grand stand in an attitude of breathless expectancy, and he knew more than the game depended upon his quickness and skill.

He stepped back a few yards, and with his eye riveted on the figure in orange he gave the signal in clear, sharp tones, "Three, double two, eleven!"

The ball struck his outstretched hands, and as he dropped it he shot out his right foot. The next second a big Darnall guard leaped over the line and struck Thornton head-on, sending him reeling senseless twenty feet from the spot where he was hit.

But the big man was half a second too late, for Thornton's toe had caught the ball squarely, and it went flying straight as a bullet between the goal posts and up into the grand stand, falling almost at Leta's feet!

A wild, deafening yell of joy broke over the field, but the quarterback did not hear it. Ten minutes later, when he came to, a girl was bathing his forehead, and he caught the glow of her bright brown dress. The crowd fell back respectfully.

"Don't worry, Thornton, dear boy," she whispered. "I saw you looking at me when you made that wonderful kick, and I know now how much I mean to you!"

Some Odd Animals.

Many curious animals haunt the marshy parts of South America north of the pampas. Frogs, big and ferocious (the ceratophyrs), given to making vicious springs when closely approached; the capybara, a cavy "contented with the bulk of a sheep;" the huge coypu rat and the swarthy, piglike tapir are frequently seen.

Along the forest margins troops of peccaries are often met with, occasionally the jaguar, sometimes the puma, likewise that toothless curiosity, the great ant bear, long in claw, long nosed and remarkably long tongued. Very plentiful, too, are those "little knights in scaly armor," the quaint, waddling armadillos. Long toed jacanas pace about upon the floating leaves.

A familiar object is the great jabiru, a stork with a preference for the desolate lagoons, where it may often be observed statuesque on one leg and wrapped in prospection.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Strenuous Methods of Healing.

Papuan medicine men are regarded with great respect by the natives. Those I have met certainly seemed energetic and hardworking. They sit close to the patient, massaging the seat of pain with much vigor, and, while they are thus rubbing, make a noise with their lips rather like that which a groom makes when rubbing down a horse. The process is a tiring one, and the medicine man stops at intervals to drink hot water in which taro has been boiled. His object is to extract some mysterious foreign substance from the sick man's body, and if he succeeds in this he receives a fee; otherwise he gets nothing. "No cure, no pay," is apparently the Papuan sufferer's motto. — Wide World Magazine.

THE OLD SAIL DRILL.

Perils the Modern Warship Men Do Not Have to Face.

One of the dangers and one of the hardest tasks of the man-of-war's man vanished out of his life when, with the supplanting of the frigate by the steam cruiser, the old time sail drill became a thing of the past. The tars in the old days were continually exercised in making and shortening sail, shifting spars and all similar maneuvers aloft, says Captain J. W. Gambier of the British navy in his "Links In My Life." As the greatest rivalry existed among the crews as to which ship should carry out the evolution first accidents were frequent. Hardly a drill day passed without men being seriously injured.

Once during a drill in Kiel harbor, where the rivalry in the fleet was increased by the eagerness of foreign ships to compete with the English, an unfortunate French midshipman went head first from the mizzen crosstrees of the French flagship to the deck.

That numbers of accidents should take place in sail drill was not astonishing when one remembers that spars measuring perhaps seventy or eighty feet long and weighing two or three tons were whisked about with bewildering speed with nothing but men's hands and brains to guide them; hundreds of men crammed into a space of a few hundred square feet, where nothing but the most marvelous organization and discipline could avert death on deck or aloft.

To the landsman, who understood nothing of the difficulty involved in rapidly shifting these great masts and yards or in reefing and furling thousands of square feet of stiff canvas—perhaps wet or half frozen—the rapidity with which it was done was perhaps the chief wonder.

Ropes, running like lightning through blocks that were instantly too hot from friction to be touched, had to be checked to within a few inches, requiring the utmost coolness and presence of mind, while the officer in command had to superintend what to the uninitiated looked like a tangled mass of cordage, but which was in reality no more in confusion than the threads in a loom.

In an instant this officer might see something going wrong. To delay a single second meant a terrible catastrophe. Every one, alow and aloft, was relying on his judgment.

"Belay! Ease away!"

The order came in an instant. The boatswain's mates repeated it in a particular call which this life and death necessity soon taught every one to understand, the shrill whistles rising above the din of tramping feet and running ropes or the thunderous crash of the great sails in the wind. Death had been averted or not. If not you looked up and saw some unfortunate man turning head over heels in the air. Your heart stood still. Would he catch hold of something, even if only to break his fall, or would he come battering on the deck? It was a mere toss up. If he was killed outright it generally stopped the drill for the day; if he was only seriously injured the drill went on, for this was part of the lesson that must be learned—that in peace, as in war, one must take his chances.

A Short Verse.

An Englishman named Thomas Thorp died, leaving his fortune to a poor relative on condition that a headstone, with the name of the said Thomas Thorp and a verse of poetry, be erected over the grave. Costing so much a word to chisel letters on the stone, the poor relative ordered that the poetry should be brief. Upon his refusal to approve, on account of their length, the lines

Here lies the corp
Of Thomas Thorp

the following was finally ordered and accepted:

Thorp's
Corpse.

The Gingerbread Tree.

There is a species of palm, growing to a height of from twenty-five to thirty feet, in Egypt, Arabia, Abyssinia and Nubia which produces its fruit in long clusters, each containing from 100 to 200. These fruits are of an irregular form, of a rich yellowish brown color and are beautifully polished. In upper Egypt they form part of the food of the poorer classes of inhabitants, the part eaten being the fibrous, mealy husk, which tastes almost exactly like gingerbread, whence the popular name of gingerbread tree in Egypt. Hyphoene thebaica is the botanical name of this palm.

How It Struck Him.

It was 5 o'clock in the afternoon, in a crowded Brooklyn trolley car, and above the noise arose the wails of a leather lunged baby protesting against everything. After two miles of this din the mother left with her child, when a young man in the front end of the car thus expressed his sentiments:

Gee whiz! I'm glad I'm free!
No wedding bells for me.

The result can be more easily imagined than described.—New York Post.

Women and Ships.

"But, Mr. Malaprace, why do they always call a ship 'she'?"

"Lor', miss, you wouldn't ask that ef you'd ever tried to steer one."—Kansas City Independent.

On the Safe Side.

"In the matter of drinking," mused the philosopher with the impressionistic nose, "be sure you are right and you won't get a head."—Philadelphia Record.

The man to whom you owe money never rests.—Atchison Globe.

AN EDITOR'S PROTEST.

The Light the Citizens Do Not Get, but Pay For, Is Dear at Any Price.

A cordial invitation to highwaymen is extended by the lighting system of Bay City. Belated pedestrians on Broadway, Garfield or other streets in the south end, as well as on Woodside avenue and streets in the north end, will meet dozens of late homegoers walking in the center of the street. The universal darkness is the eloquent explanation. The inky darkness that prevails under the heavy shade trees gives the highwayman exactly the opportunity he desires. The conditions are at their best for the exploitation of his peculiar talents.

Meanwhile Bay City is getting its "lights at $55 per year." That figure is cheap. Bay City has about 275 lamps in operation on the east side, fed by the east side station, and when 275 lights are credited with the full number of hours of duty every night in the year it is an easy matter to secure a low figure of cost per light.

But the city doesn't get the light it pays for, or at least is supposed to pay for. If the 275 lamps give but 75 per cent of the full lighting power or capacity, then the cost per lamp for the light furnished is 25 per cent higher than appears on the books, for the reason that the city is paying out money at $55 per lamp for light it doesn't get. The proposition is easy.

Two-thirds of the lamps on the east side are not giving light and have not been giving light for a long time. Only in the downtown and immediately surrounding districts is light furnished. In all the great stretch of territory south of Fifteenth street not a light is burning.

North of Madison street and clear down to Essexville no lights are or have been burning for a long time. Yet for every lamp hanging on the street corners the property owners are paying $55 per year. Truly a cheap light without the light.

If a private corporation were lighting Bay City, how long would the city stand for it? How long would it be before the council would be tearing the hair of a corporation that so shamefully treated the property owners who pay for the light they don't get? The answer is easy.

The superintendent says it is the "wornout machinery" proposition the city is up against, and yet in the suit between the city and the local electric company, tried in neutral territory, Flint, it developed and was admitted by the city that there was ample power at the electric lighting plants for adequate street lighting purposes.—Bay City (Mich.) Tribune.

THE BUBBLE PRICKED.

Investigation Dissipates Chicago's Satisfaction Over Supposed Low Cost of Lights.

The report of the city electrician of Chicago for last year is somewhat of a disappointment. In the previous report the customary false statement that the total cost per street arc was $52.39 was modified ten pages further on by an admission that "there is some justice in the contention" that various omitted items of cost should be included in fact, that he would have made out a full statement of the items if the National Civic federation had not undertaken to do the same thing in a thorough and impartial manner. In the present report, however, appears the same false statement "total cost per lamp $52.93," again modified on another page by the admission that this is not the total cost. The other items are not given because they "are not readily ascertained," and the figures given in the National Civic federation report are not quoted because they differ in some respects from those obtained by the Reform club five years before. All this, of course, was to delude the citizens into the belief that the municipal plant was furnishing lights at a cost lower than a private company would charge.

This report neither deceived nor satisfied Mayor Busse. As a result an investigation has been made by an engineer of the highest standing and by a reliable accountant. Their report, just made public, shows that in 1907 the cost per arc was $81.64 instead of the $52.93 claimed as the "total cost." Even this higher amount includes interest on only about half the investment under the mistaken idea that in some occult way a depreciation charge pays off the capital. This mistake would not have been made if the plant had been built by bond issues instead of by appropriations. An interest charge on the entire investment, which alone affords a basis for a fair comparison with private enterprise, would have made the cost per lamp $90.20. As a private company had offered to take the entire lighting contract at $75 or less and give better service, we are now able to get an authoritative estimate of what Chicago has lost by municipal ownership.

Municipal Neglect.

In view of the conditions recently found by Waterworks Superintendent Hiller at the Hunt street (Cincinnati) pumping station, it is not surprising that complaints of "no steam" were frequent during the last year or two. The boilers, which were reserved for service, were found to contain the accumulated soot and dirt of years. In the smoke flue four feet of soot was removed.—Municipal Journal and Engineer.

Once More, No!

At an election held Nov. 10 the citizens of Coldwater, Miss., voted against the proposition to issue bonds for the construction of an electric light plant and waterworks system.—Electrical World.

AN ANTARCTIC STORM

Braving the Perils of a South Polar Winter's Night.

FIERCE FURY OF THE GALE.

Adventures of a Party of Explorers In a Journey Over the Broken Pack Ice—The Solid Wall of Wind That Flanked a Friendly Iceberg.

The arctic explorer has always had hardship and danger enough, but the antarctic discoverer has far more terrible conditions to meet. Luckily he meets them with all the equipment and method that arctic exploration has taught mankind. Yet they are most dangerous, as the story of those who have lived through the south polar winter night can testify. One of the experiences of Bernacchi on the cruise of the Southern Cross some years ago shows what an antarctic gale means.

He and a comrade, Ellifsen, started out on a short sledge journey to carry provisions from one camp to another. It was in September, and the broken ice pack over which they must travel was but a foot and a half thick and likely to break in pieces afresh or pile up in deadly masses at the mercy of the sea and wind. The two men had three sledges and eighteen dogs. They had hardly started before the wind rose and a gale threatened. Halfway to their destination there was an iceberg imbedded in the pack ice, and they hastened to reach this before the storm should break.

For five hours they toiled over the ice, the wind gradually rising. The gale broke in fury just as they reached the iceberg, under whose lee they pitched a tiny silk tent, into which they crawled after having fed their dogs as best they could. Hour after hour the wind raged, and the thermometer went to 9 degrees below zero. The snow drifted over and into the tent. Sleep was impossible.

The explorers, who had met typhoons in the China seas and cyclones in the tropics, found by the aneroid as well as by their own sensations that this gale surpassed them all. Worst of all, it seemed as if the ice was beginning to crack. They knew well that the iceberg which protected them from the full force of the storm was the most dangerous place possible in other ways, as the ice was sure to separate first immediately round the berg, throwing tent, men and dogs into the icy seas. The cracking of ice was now to be heard above the roar of the wind. They dared not stay in their shelter.

A little to the east, Bernacchi remembered, was a cave in the body of the iceberg. Once in that, they would not at least be precipitated into the sea, even if they were carried away, iceberg and all. It was so dark that the wall of the berg could not be seen even when the hands touched it. The two explorers groped as best they could along the slippery walls, both hands on the ice and their bodies pressed against it. Halfway around they left the lee side and met the gale. It came like a solid thing, bearing them back and down. Not one inch could they move against it, and further exposure meant death. They groped back, blinded, deafened and almost paralyzed with cold, to shelter. Then they commenced a toilsome hunt for a foothold on the lee side somewhere. Toward morning they found a low spur or projection, upon which they scrambled and lay down perfectly exhausted in the snowdrifts, which grew each moment. To this they owed their lives, for the snow soon covered them and kept in the warmth of their bodies.

They dared not sleep for fear of never waking, so they roused each other alternately. At last day broke, and the gale abated. Crawling over the snow, their garments frozen stiff as boards, their beards solid lumps of ice, they managed to reach their tent. The ice had not broken, though it was cracked here and there. They took food, slept, fed their dogs, who were deep in the drifts, but alive, and then courageously went ahead, "not caring to be beaten," as Bernacchi expressed it. It was 8 o'clock at night before they reached camp, but the next day they were exploring and taking photographs and observations just as usual. Man may seem puny against nature, but he conquers her from the arctic to the antarctic by his unconquerable soul.—William Rittenhouse in Forward.

A Clever Barber.

"By heck, Cynthia," drawled old Farmer Hardapple after his visit to Chicago, "them thar city barbers are mind readers."

"That so, Hiram?" said his wife.

"Why, I should say so. The one I met knew that you cut my hair last, and, by gum, he never saw you in his life."—Chicago News.

By Indirection.

Heiress (to her military admirer)—That Mr. Krause is very inquisitive. He asked what my dowry amounted to. Lieutenant—Impertinent fellow! And what did you tell him?—Fliegende Blatter.

Praying Time.

A five-year-old boy on hearing grace asked for the first time at breakfast gravely remarked: "I only say my prayers at night. That is the dangerous time."—Life.

Corruption will never want a pretense.—Cato.

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Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 12.15 p. m.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Calvin Robinson, late of Winchester in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Calvin F. Robinson of Winchester, in the County of Middlesex.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR a newspaper published in Winchester the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty fourth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
f26,mr5,12

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Seymour W. Stevens of Winchester in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts to the East Cambridge Savings Bank, dated September 11th, 1899, and recorded in the South District Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex libro 2764, folio 443, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage will be sold at public auction, on the premises,

On Tuesday the thirtieth day of March, 1909, at four o'clock, in the afternoon,

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Winchester and being the lot numbered seventy three (73) and a portion of the lot numbered sixty nine (69) as shown on a plan of lots drawn by G. F. Hartshorne dated May 27, 1891 and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds in Book of Plans No. 70, Plan 48 and bounded and described as follows viz.: southeasterly by Florence street eighty feet, southwesterly by Harvard street fifty five feet, northwesterly by a line parallel with said Florence street eighty feet and northeasterly in part by lot sixty eight and lot seventy two on said plan fifty five feet.

Containing 4400 square feet. Subject to the restrictions mentioned in said mortgage and to any unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be.

$300 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

THE EAST CAMBRIDGE SAVINGS BANK,
Mortgagee.
By Wm. [illegible], Treasurer.
March 4th, 1909
[illegible] [illegible]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address)

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March 6, 1909
m12,19,26*

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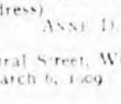
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Following are the evenings set apart by the town departments as regular times of meeting:

TOWN CLERK—Daily, 8.30 to 11.30 a. m., 2 to 4.30 p. m., and Saturday evenings from 6.45 to 7.45.

SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY: Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday). Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

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23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24. Mt. Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
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44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
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51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
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63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

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New York, West and South—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.

Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.

North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.

Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.

Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.

New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.

North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.1 p. m.

Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.

Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.

Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.

Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Mae Richardson returned this week from a two month's trip through the South.

Patrick Foley has filed a suit for $2000 against the Boston & Northern Street Railway company, in the office of the clerk of courts at East Cambridge. He claims injuries on December 7, 1908, by a derailed car.

Thomas Cassidy has filed a suit for $2000 against the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, in the office of the clerk of courts at East Cambridge, for alleged injuries on December 7, 1908.

Mrs. William Beggs gave a luncheon on Wednesday for a few of her friends to meet Mrs. Case, a former Woburn friend, whose home is now in Michigan.

Mr. F. V. Wooster was correct when he stated in town meeting last Monday evening that granolithic sidewalks were the best and cheapest in the end and that systematic work should be begun on the prominent streets diverging from the centre. Tar concrete is expensive and unsatisfactory after a few years, while granolithic does not deteriate with time.

Scientific scalp treatment at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Building, Woburn, Mass. Tel. 322-3.

Degree staff of Columbian Lodge I. O. O. F. of Stoneham will work the first degree in Waterfield Lodge, Monday evening, March 15th.

Rev. D. A. Newton addressed an audience at the Methodist Church in Woburn, Friday evening.

Rev. Mr. Chaffee has been ill this week with the grippe.

Elizabeth Armstrong of Highland avenue, surprised her mother on Saturday last by giving herself a party. Dolly, Edward, and Henry Benet and Esther Smith helped her to carry out her program.

The Winchester Laundry has been installed with an intercommunicating telephone system connecting all parts of the laundry. It is a two-trunk line and is in charge of a special operator.

The last session of the annual town meeting will be held Monday evening. Some important articles are to be acted upon.

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Mr. E. Abbott Bradlee has purchased the last house erected by Capt. Nickerson on Everett avenue. Mr. Bradlee is a Boston broker, a well known member of the Calumet and Country clubs, and comes here from Medford.

Mr. Hayes Robbins of Lebanon street, who is now in California for his health is reported as very much improved.

Dr. Lewis has been invited to give a clinic before the Massachusetts Dental Society at Springfield, June 11th.

As the Boston & Main railroad train, due in Stoneham at 10.30, was passing the cemetery at the Woburn and Winchester line Wednesday evening, a stone was thrown through the window. It is reported that a Boston bound train was attacked in a similar manner, at the same place, a week ago Sunday evening.

Fishing in the reservoirs has been prohibited pending regulations by the State Board of Health. The regulations will, probably, absolutely prohibit fishing hereafter.

Call at Adam's the Up-to-date Grocer, 30 Pleasant street, and get a sample of Berwick cakes, Saturday, March 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward after a two years' residence in London, Ontario, have taken up their residence on Clark street.

Principal Arthur P. Briggs of the Wadleigh school took a large party of boys from that school over the Charlestown Navy Yard Wednesday and Thursday.

The annual Roll Call and entertainment of the Second Congregational church will be held this Friday evening, at 7.30.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire-proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

At the first dinner of the Yale Alumni Asso. of New Haven, held Wednesday, Samuel J. Elder, president of the association, responding to the toast, "The Alumni," called to the minds of those present the crying need of a new boat house for the crew, and suggested that the idea of a foot ball stadium be given up until the needs of the Yale navy had been supplied.

For pure ice cream try Covel's for your Sunday dinner.

The Middlesex County W. C. T. U. Presidents will meet in the First M. E. Church, Otis street, Medford, March 19th, at 10 a. m. Afternoon session open to the public at 2.30. Address by Miss Elizabeth Gordon. A cordial invitation extended to all.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The police raided a house on Florence street last week, securing three kegs and a quantity of bottled beer. No arrests were made.

Miss Margaret Briggs was operated upon Friday at a Boston hospital for appendicitis. The operation is reported successful and her condition favorable to a speedy recovery.

Imported birthday post cards and booklets. You know the kind. Wilson the Stationer.

On Thursday March 4th the Ladies' of the Western Missionary Society met in the Congregational Church vestries. Sewing was in order and at 12.30 all sat down to a bountiful lunch. At the business meeting at 3 o'clock it was voted to earn the mite box money in the same way as last year. Each member earn a dollar, and at the annual meeting in January, tell how she earned it. It was also voted to work for the family of the Rev. C. W. Smith, of Sykeston, North Dakota.

The Marathon A. C. of Woburn would like to arrange games with some Winchester teams to fill out their spring baseball schedule. The average age of the team is 17-18 yrs. They would be glad to play upon Manchester Field. Mathew Fox, Manager, Mt. Pleasant Woburn, Mass.

A woman's hat is the most important part of her wardrobe. It should be becoming, youthful and perfectly adapted in lines and color to face and figure. These results are assumed by Dru. See advertisement on last page.

F. N. Kerr spent Sunday at the Mansion House, Poland Spring, where Mrs. Kerr is staying for a few weeks.

Home made candies made fresh every day at Covel's.

Four persons were admitted to membership in the Second Congregational Church on March 7, on confession of faith,—Mrs. M. Isabelle Anderson, Mr. William L. Huber (son of Deacon Huber) Mr. William Bolles and Mr. John F. Hall.

The Robinson estate on Fairmount street at the Highlands is sold to a gentleman from out of town who will occupy it as a home.

Mrs. Jos. T. Clark and son Richard have been on the sick list this week. Their friends will be pleased to know that both are convalescing.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. Charles Mills, the civil engineer and formerly a well know resident of Winchester, made a flying trip here this week, coming on from his home in Hatton, North Dakota.

The Prince Livery Stable. W. O. Blaisdell, Prop. Livery, boarding and carriages. Tel. 211-1. mr5,tf

Mrs. Sarah E. Cole gave a lecture recital entitled "Folk Song" before the Woburn Woman's Club last Friday, which has been spoken of very highly by all who listened to the delightful singing.

Mrs. W. F. Prime entertained a few friends at luncheon and bridge last Tuesday.

Miss Pearle E. Longley and Mr. Curtis W. Nash attended the annual dance of the Delta Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority held in Goddard Gym at Tufts college Friday evening.

The towns in this vicinity did first rate on the license question at their annual meetings last Monday. The vote in Burlington was: yes, 35, no 75. Stoneham voted yes, 297, no, 753. Winchester, yes, 59, no, 398. Wilmington, yes, 31, no, 155.

Miss Anna M. Holland, formerly of the Mme. Pinault Co., Boston, has opened Toilet Parlors, at 371 Main street, Woburn. Manicuring, Chiropody, Hairdressing, Shampooing and Hair Dyeing a Specialty. Telephone Connection.

Are you watching the local real estate situation? Isn't opportunity knocking at your door right now? Better talk with Geo. Adams Woods about it.

Mr. Lemuel Holton, for many years a resident of Winchester, passed away at his home in Somerville Feb. 26, at the age of 87 years. Mr. Holton made his home on Cross street, this town, was a respected and industrious citizen, and retired from active business some years ago. He leaves a widow, one son four daughters. The interment was in the family lot in Wildwood.

Mrs. Edward Ladd has been visiting Mrs. Charles Cash of Weymouth.

Strictly pure ice cream and home made candies at Covel's are delicious, is what they all say.

The following persons have been recommended to membership in the First Congregational Church: Miss Freida Bartsch, Kenneth Furber Caldwell, Mrs. Rayclift (Clarene Eugene) Clemson, Miss Martha Beatrice Evers n, Robert Heard Hale, Mrs. Elsie May (Wallace W.) Mobbs, Francis Chandler Newton, Harlan Fay Newton, Miss Jessie Frances Peppard, Miss Nina Alice Richardson, Walter Norman Stevenson.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union held a sewing meeting at Mrs. Dover's, Vine street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, to prepare for a sale.

Mr. William J. Dunton, a Winchester boy, has become the successor of the well known florist, Marston B. Bunker of 8 City Hall avenue, Boston. The many Winchester friends of this young man will be pleased to learn of his rise in business life, and they can be assured of fair and generous treatment at the hands of Mr. Dunton in anything pertaining to flowers or plants.

Winchester council, 210, K. of C. has in preparation "Cordelia's Aspirations," which will be presented in the Town Hall on the evening of Wednesday, March 17, under the direction of Charles J. Harrold. The parts will be taken by Miss Margaret O'Loughlin, Miss Lillian Kane, Miss Mary Cassidy, Charles J. Harrold, Dr. James H. O'Connor, Henry R. Glendon, Arthur E. King, Howard S. Cosgrove and Daniel E. Daly.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Last Sunday evening at the Unitarian Church Mr. Percival B. Metcalf's anthem "Praise Jehovah was thoroughly enjoyed. Mr. Metcalf will be remembered as a former Winchester boy and son of our Mr. Robert C. Metcalf. The anthem showed much musical feeling and ability.

Sweeten your best girl a little more with Covel's Home made candies.

Beulah Chapin of Maple road received some of her little friends on Saturday from 3 o'clock to 5, to celebrate her eighth birthday. The children played games and had dainty refreshments and a happy time. Those who came were: Ruth Claflin, Hazel and Mildred McGown, Clara and Jessie Dearborn, Amelia and Consuela Burwell.

Call at Adam's the Up-to-date Grocer, 30 Pleasant street, and get a sample of Berwick cakes, Saturday, March 13th.

Constance Park of Forest street entertained several of her little friends at tea and a party Tuesday evening to celebrate her twelfth birthday. The children sat down to supper at six o'clock and afterwards enjoyed games, music, etc. Some beautiful flowers and several gifts were received by Miss Constance. The children were: Alberta Seagraves, Marjorie and Consuelia Burwell, Helen Marshall, Margaret Ray, Arthur Nason and Harry Dwight.

Miss A. Laura Tolman will be the 'cello soloist at the Unitarian vesper service Sunday.

Attention is called to the ad in this issue of the John W. Watters Co., who are opening a new specialty store at 566 Washington street, Boston.

Sanderson, Electrician. Tel. 355-2.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus B. May are spending several weeks at Wonalancet, N. H. Mr. May has gone there for his health.

Mr. Frank M. White, will sail tomorrow for the Azores to be gone until the first of April. Mr. White goes for a rest, and may visit Naples, Italy, before his return.

The Woman's Guild of the Church of The Epiphany will meet Tuesday at Mrs. Anthony Kelley's on Fletcher street.

The First Congregational Church has secured Mr. Phidelah Rice as an entertainer for the Church Social Thursday evening, March 18th. No one can afford to miss him.

P.I. ...s from ...ings, 25 cents each, at Mrs. Doherty's. Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Bld. Tel. 322-3 Woburn, Mass.

Owing to the indisposition of Miss Ogilvie and Dr. Hindes, Miss Katherine Crockett and Mr. Oscar Hunting, both of Boston took their places very acceptably in the vesper service Sunday at the First Congregational Church.

A party of sixteen Shriners and their wives from Winchester attended the performance of "The Witching Hour" at the Majestic Theatre last Wednesday evening, previously dining at the Parker House.

The handsomest birthday postals you ever saw. A strong statement, but let us prove it. Wilson the Stationer.

Mr. Ralph LeRoy Harlow, tenor at the Unitarian Church has resigned and Mr. Frank Abbott who has been singing in one of the largest churches in Lynn has been engaged to take his place, beginning April 1st.

Mrs. J. C. Hinds is out again after a week's illness.

Mr. William P. Morse of Boston has purchased the property No. 40 Calumet road, consisting of a house and 17,000 square feet of land, assessed for $8,500. Mr. Morse will occupy the premises.

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Having purchased an automobile, I wish to sell my family horse. C. H. Lewis, 12 Glen road, Winchester. mr12

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Would like to give away stable on the McCall estate, corner Washington and Park avenue, to be torn down. Address P. O. Box 1383 Boston.

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A model F Buick in first class condition, looks like new, with top, basket, new tires, with 1 extra, shoe and casing, 2 extra inner tubes. Will be sold cheap. Demonstrations can be had if desired. N. Gerould, 18 Chestnut street, Winchester, Mass. f26,4t

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A fine sleigh, has never been used since it was painted and re-trimmed. Price $90. Address 7 Washington street. ja22,tf

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No. 15 Harvard street, two tenement house in good repair, nine rooms and bath, two front doors, for sale at a big bargain. Small payment down, balance on very easy terms. G. EDWARD SMITH, 367 Washington St., Boston, 12 to 1. n20 tf

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An inexperienced general housework girl. Apply at 28 Wildwood St. 1t

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TOWN MEETING.

Next Session to be Held March 29th, which will be the Last.

Although last Monday night's session of the annual Town Meeting was the shortest yet, and it appeared that the end of the warrant would be reached, adjournment was again made at 9.30 for two weeks. Early in the evening Chairman Dwinell of the Selectmen moved that adjournment be made to that date, as the committee appointed to report upon street lighting was not ready, but would be upon the 29th. Later in the evening the reconsideration of Article 4, providing for the appointment of committees, under motion of Mr. Tuck, caused the abrupt adjournment of the session, not however, until that gentleman had put some three or four motions before the meeting, and a point of order and ruling by the Moderator had been raised.

The meeting opened with a good attendance for a present day town meeting of Winchester. Article 19, was the first considered:

To see what action, if any, the Town will take to improve the Lake street shore of Wedge Pond.

The following vote was passed:

"That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to investigate the condition of the shore of Wedge Pond and all other shores of ponds located near Winchester centre, and report with recommendations at some subsequent town meeting."

The original motion under this article was offered by Dr. Allen of the Board of Health, and applied only to Wedge Pond. This gentleman stated that the improvement of this portion of the ponds and river in the centre was only the beginning of a long needed renovation, Lake street being selected for the beginning on account of its extremely foul condition. He stated that the chief cause for the pollution in this section was due to the now famous Russell Brook; this now being much improved, he considered that residents in that vicinity were entitled to some relief after what they had for years been subjected to. In this connection he gave a brief summary of the conditions, past and present, concerning Russell Brook. He stated that the Board of Health felt that the question offered too large a problem for it to act independently, and that in its judgment it seemed wisest for the Town to appoint a committee of competent men to investigate and make a later report.

Mr. Whitney agreed with the Doctor as far as he went, but thought the whole river was but a common sewer, Wedge Pond being affected by the main stream as well as by Russell Brook. He cited a case where suit was made over the foul condition of the water, which killed cranberry bogs and fish. Dead fish had much to do with the conditions about the shores at present. Wedge Pond alone did not need investigation, but rather all the water near the centre. His amendment to this effect was accepted and the motion passed.

At this point Mr. Dwinell asked that when the meeting adjourn it be to Monday evening, March 29, the committee appointed to report upon street lighting not being ready to do so at present; its report would however, be ready by the 29th. This was voted.

Article 20. To see if the Town will amend Article 6, Sec. 7, of the town by-laws, so the use of a running or sewer trap shall be left optional with the Board of Health.'

Voted, That the article be referred to a committee of three, to be named by the Moderator, to report at the next annual Town Meeting.

The motion under the above article was offered by Mr. Ives, it being to accept the article. He gave a description of the running trap, stated that at the present time it seemed wise in the majority of instances to omit it, and urged the passage of his motion.

Mr. Tuck opposed the motion and called for the opinion of the town plumbers on the matter.

Mr. D. W. Pratt spoke of an instance where sickness had been prevalent and investigation revealed the fact that there was no running trap upon the premises. The trap was installed and the sickness ceased. He favored the trap, which shuts off the gas from the public sewer. Mr. Pratt then moved to refer the matter to a committee.

Dr. Church stated that he was inclined to favor the abolition of the trap, but thought it should be left optional with the Board of Health.

Dr. Allen of the above board then spoke. He stated concerning the attitude of the town plumbers, all had expressed their opinion that the trap should be eliminated or left optional with his board. Since his interview with them one had changed his mind. Dr. Allen cited the cases of nearby cities and towns, and stated that in every instance where the health regulations had been revised within recent years the trap had been omitted. While a good feature in the lax ways of plumbing in the past, with the present system of laws and inspection it was unnecessary. He urged the passage of the original motion, and read a letter from the Town's Inspector of Plumbing to that effect.

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"HERAKLES."

The audience which greeted Mr. Brown at his final lecture on Thursday, March 11, was far the largest that has been present during this course, and the close and earnest attention with which he was followed indicated how deep the interest which has culminated in this profound and lofty presentation of George Cabot Lodge's magnificent dramatic poem, "Herakles."

A little personal note was touched early in the hour by the display of a letter which Mr. Lodge had written our lecturer, thanking him for the unusual appreciation of his work as shown by a letter which Mr. Brown had written him.

In the poem Mr. Lodge has taken the myth of Herakles or Hercules, which he uses as a skeleton upon which to hang the splendid strong body of spiritual thought. Prometheus—outwardly suffering but inwardly triumphing, having given light and heat, the basis of art and life.

Herakles is the 20th century spiritual story—the soul rejecting kingship, home, denying all, in pursuance of absolute truth and finally releasing truth not as in the old story by striking off its shackles, but by the recognition that only by himself can one be found—that freedom must come from within.

"The soul of man can never be enslaved
Save by its own infirmities, nor freed;
Save by its very strength and own resolve
And constant vision and supreme endeavor."

Some of the lyrics in this poem are of surprising beauty, notably the lullabys of Megara:

"The rose wreathed lattice opens wide,
Beyond, the night is calm and deep:—
My little doves lie fast asleep,
Like lilies fallen side by side.

"They laid them down at evening;
Their eyes were clear as moonlit dew
Across their brows the sunset threw
The golden shadow of its wing.

"They kissed my face, with tender words;
Their eyelids closed as flowers close,
In dreamless, motionless repose
They fell asleep like tired birds."

Space does not allow further quotation, but the whole poem repays the most careful study, and when we reflect that the author is a Massachusetts man of only thirty-six, son of our Senator Lodge, we may be pardoned a feeling of pride in such an achievement.

It is hoped that after Miss Chamberlain's recital "The Servant in the House", Mr. Brown may return to give us a study of that play, which is sure to be of the greatest value.

REUNION OF THE HIGHLAND HOME HELPERS.

Mrs. J. M. Berry of Everett, formerly of Winchester invited the members of the former society called the Highland Home Helpers, to spend the day with her at her home on Friday. This society was very active some years ago and of much benefit to the members who had young families. Each meeting was given over to sewing for the family of the entertainer. Of late years, or since the children have grown up, the needs of the society have been less and the meetings have waned. A delightful social time of renewing old friendships was on the program, and it was thought by all present that the society might again be active in some other manner.

The ladies who went from Winchester were: Mrs. Aaron C. Bell, Mrs. Silas Snow, Mrs. T. Kelley, Mrs. Eva and Mrs. Henry Smalley, Mrs. Winslow Richardson, Mrs. William Watt, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. A. S. F. Kirby of Wellesley.

A letter was sent to Mrs. Charles M. Thompson of Sandwich, Mass., a former president, signed by all present, which was a pleasant memory of a charming woman.

TRY IT YOURSELF.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The ad inserted in your paper by me in regard to boys for the choir of the Church of the Epiphany, was so successful that I would like to withdraw it after this week's issue. That is insert it twice instead of three times.

Yours truly,
JOHN W. SUTER.

STEREOPTICON LECTURE.

In the First Congregational Church Sunday evening, at 7.00 will be given a Stereopticon lecture on Mexico, Spain and Austria. The Austrian slides are provided by the Foreign Pastor, Dr. Clark. All are welcome. Collection.

ANECDOTE OF DR. DANIEL MARCH.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Some years since, the Rev. Alfred Emerson supplied the writer's pulpit a Sabbath, in Sturbridge, Mass. Mr. Emerson was the nephew of Rev. Reuben Emerson, who for many years was pastor of the Congregational church in South Reading, now Wakefield. Rev. Alfred Emerson succeeded his uncle in the pastorate in South Reading, and later, was for twelve years pastor of the "Rollstone" church in Fitchburg. He was a graduate of Yale College, and afterwards was called to be a tutor and teacher in his Alma Mater. The faculty on one occasion, as was common—offered a prize for a paper, the best in style and matter, to be competed for by the entire body of undergraduates or by the students of some one class; the writer is not certain which, but thinks it was offered to the whole college. The papers of course, were without signatures, but were numbered, and the names and corresponding numbers were in the hands of the members of the faculty, other than the judges. After a patient examination of the papers, and a nice and able weighing of their thought and facts, also of the choice of words, and the excellence in the use of them, the judges—and Rev. Alfred Emerson himself was one them—fixed upon a paper as the one decidedly superior to all the rest in merit and worth. At that time, there was a student in college from the south, of brilliant talents, eloquence and power, by the name Holcomb. When the War of Secession was perhaps two thirds through, some one, perhaps it was Horace Greeley, proposed a conference of delegates from each side, to convene in the middle of Niagara River, on neutral ground, [or water] to attempt the pacification of the fratricidal conflict, Mr. Holcomb, the quondam student in Yale, the best centre of College Hill and Education in the land, in the writer's opinion, was made one of the astute and practical delegates from the south. This attempt to conciliate the awful odds between the contending parties, was ashes, as was Mr. Greeley's effort to become president over the belligerent sections in 1872. When the paper in Yale College, back in the 40's, was in all its glowing and racy excellence, pronounced to be first and best, the judges began to divine and guess who could be the author. Knowing as they did the sense and sparkle and scholarship of Holcomb, they with great unanimity concluded the best paper was his work. The number of the successful composition was then put to the name of the student who wrote it, and it was found to be the name of Daniel March, then of Millbury, Mass., who after a long life of usefulness died in the city of Woburn, on Tuesday, March 2, 1909, aged 92 years, 7 months and 9 days.

The early talent of this faithful and honored servant of God, emphasizes the fact, that, in many cases, the promise of success and eminence appears early.

Wendell Phillips was almost an incomparable speaker. But the summit of his eloquence was pretty nearly touched by his wonderful speech in Faneuil Hall, upon Lovejoy's murder in Illinois, when Mr. Phillips was 26 years old. Hannabal was but 26 when he crossed the Alps and came down upon Italy in a storm of success, and without a base of supplies, and without a single defeat, ravaged the country of the Romans for sixteen years. John B. Gough whose life, from the age of 24 years, was a marvelous success in oratory and powerful influence for good, spoke upon Temperance in the old vestry of the Orthodox church in Woburn in 1843, soon after his reform, and with that inimitable and telling power of acting and speaking his experience and his principles, which made him eloquent, entertaining and effective for good. The young people of our time, and in the grandeur of our wonderful civilization, had better burn their "wild oats" if they have them, and sow in their souls and selves only the fruitful oats of principle, honor, integrity and usefulness.

MONTAGUE.

SHRINE ROBBED.

On Tuesday morning the shrine in the basement of St. Mary's Church was robbed by an unknown man. It is thought that he received about $10. The shrine is used for the deposit of offerings, the coins passing through the top of the stand and falling to a box beneath, the top of which is secured by four small screws. Janitor James MacLellan was about the church at the time and noticed the man at the altar apparently in prayer. As MacLellan entered the man arose, spoke to him and passed out. It was then noticed that the top of the offering box was out of place and investigation revealed the theft. The offender did not secure all of the money, it being evident that he heard the Janitor approaching while at work gathering up the coin.

CARLTON APOLLONIO.

The sudden news on Sunday of last week of the death of Carlton Apollonio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas T. Apollonio of Church street, was a shock to the hosts of friends of the young man. Mr. Apollonio died at Springfield, Ohio, on the 14th inst. of spinal meningitis. He was ill but two days.

Winchester has lost one of its most promising representatives. One could not know him long without appreciating his sterling qualities; his genial personality which attracted all who came in contact with him and which gained him more steadfast friends than one usually has the good fortune to have.

Graduating from Harvard college last June, he went to Ohio to pursue engineering, which he had studied at college. He was first located in Warren, Ohio, then at Knoxville, Tenn., for a time, and later went to Springfield, Ohio, where he had been located for about seven months in which time he advanced rapidly in his chosen work, but he had no more than acquainted himself with the practical side of his profession and the customs of the middle West when he was suddenly claimed by death. He was 25 years of age.

Mr. Apollonio was born in Boston, coming to this town when three years of age. He attended the Winchester High school and prepared for Harvard University at Milton Academy. While at Milton he was prominent in school work and played fullback on the school's eleven for three years.

Upon his entrance to Harvard in 1904 he was not long in finding his way to Soldier's Field where his fast playing attracted the attention of the coaches of the freshman football team. He was given a trial at fullback in the game with Groton school and at once made good. From that day to the end of the season of 1908 he played in the backfield on his freshman team.

In 1906 he was injured and played only a part of the time.

During his junior term at Harvard Apollonio was taken to the varsity football squad, where he played fullback on the second team throughout the season. The following year he moved up a notch to the first team squad and was first substitute fullback on the varsity team, but owing to injuries in the Brown game, he was unable to play against Yale.

His senior year at Harvard Apollonio was made regular fullback on the varsity eleven, where, with Jack Wendell at right halfback, they tore great holes through the Yale line and the ball was carried to the Yale goal line when the end of the game was called.

He was a member of the following clubs: "Fencing," "Institute 1770," "D. K. E.," "Hasty Pudding," "Delta Phi" (President Senior year.) "O. K.," "Milton Academy Graduates Club." In his Junior year, was Head Usher on "Senior's Class Day 1907." He was also for three years a member of Field Battery "A" M. V. M. and held warrant as Corporal when his enlistment ended.

Being interested in these clubs did not detract his love and devotion to his home; to his mother and father who may well feel proud of a son who after having received a liberal education was able to show himself equal to being advanced in the business which he had chosen.

In this town he was a comunicant of the Parish of the Epiphany.

Expressions of sympathy from old and young friends in Winchester show in what high esteem he was held and the interest in which his older friends have watched his development into manhood.

The remains were brought to Winchester and were cremated at Mt. Auburn and memorial services were conducted in the Church of the Epiphany, by the Rev. John Wallace Suter, Harvard, '81, yesterday afternoon at 3.30.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Another enjoyable hour is in store for the members of The Fortnightly on Monday afternoon, when the two little plays "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone" and "A Fair Encounter" will be presented by members of the Dramatic Committee. The ladies of this committee have done fine work this year and The Fortnightly is justly proud of them.

Mrs. Ely's report of the Federation meeting at Medford was very accurate and interesting. The Fortnightly was well represented at this meeting about fifty members attending.

Attention is called to Dr. Roland Grant's lecture in Town Hall Tuesday evening, March 23d, at 8 o'clock. Subject "Trees of Eden or Snakes in Paradise."

An entertainment by the Dorothea Dix children for the benefit of the Vacation School is to be given Saturday afternoon, March 27 at 2.45 in the Town Hall. Tickets 35 cents each.

Mr. George H. Goodridge, formerly of Eaton street, is ill with rheumatic fever at the home of his father in Cambridge.

SCHOOL NEWS.

The open meeting held by the School Committee on Wednesday evening was well attended by both ladies and gentlemen interested in school affairs. A number of matters were placed before the committee for their consideration, and some profitable advice was received. These meetings are not public in the sense of discussion, each individual desiring to express himself upon matters pertaining to the schools, receiving a confidential hearing before the Committee. The Committee does not desire to hold meetings for public discussion. It will be glad to receive suggestions at any regular meeting; those desiring interviews will receive an appointment by notifying Supt. of Schools, Schuyler F. Herron. The regular meetings of the Committee are held on the first Friday evening of each month, but if enough desire interviews to warrant it, a special meeting for that purpose will be held. The fact that the meeting of this week was held on Wednesday evening, when many desire to attend church, was an oversight.

The Athletic Association of the High School has received the approval of the School Committee to give a benefit for its treasury on April 16.

The Junior reception will be held on April 23d.

Mrs. Inez M. Holcomb, instructor in sewing in the schools, has sent her resignation to the Committee, to take effect at the end of the present school year. Miss Grace A. Hubbard, now teaching in the 7th grade in the Wadleigh school has been transferred to fill her position. Mrs. Holcomb has filled the position most acceptably to parents and officials alike for the past seven years. Her work has been most successful and satisfactory, and it is with regret that her resignation has been accepted. She has resigned to take a much needed rest. Miss Hubbard, who will fill her position, has taken a course in domestic art at the New York University and is well qualified to take charge of the work.

Mr. Peters of Medford gave an interesting lecture in the Assemby hall of the High school yesterday morning on "The Cave Dwellers of Arizona."

WOBURN WON FOURTH IN SERIES.

In the fourth match in the series of games between the Winchester and Woburn Councils, Knights of Columbus, the latter won 6-4. Winchester is still two points ahead in the tournament. Following are the results of last evening.

Cribbage

Winchester		Woburn	
Foley / Holland	2	Callahan / Costello	3
Dr. O'Connor / E. Sullivan	1	Looney / J. Harkins	3

Whist

Winchester		Woburn	
P Glendon / E. Maguire	17	D Mahoney / McPartlin	23
J. O'Connor / M. Sullivan	13	Connolly / Conway	27

Forty-Fives

Winchester		Woburn	
Fitzgerald / Cosgrove	12	Coughlin / Kennedy	13
Lynch / Haley	7	Harkins / Looney	13

Checkers

Winchester	Woburn
Lyons 3	Hern 0
King 3	Kennedy 2

Pool

Winchester	Woburn
Murphy 60	Hern 48
Lyons 60	Conway 19

Winchester Council 4
Woburn Council 6

1909 W. H. S. BASE BALL SCHEDULE.

The following base ball schedule for the High school nine has been approved by the School Committee for the coming season:

April 8	Thurs.	Rindge M. T. S.	at Winchester
10	Sat.	Tech 1911	"
14	Wed.	Everett	"
16	Fri.	Roxbury Latin School	"
19	Mon.	Reading H. S.	"
22	Thurs.	Brookline H. S.	"
28	Wed.	Wakefield H. S.	Wakefield
May 1	Sat.		
4	Tues.	Arlington H. S.	Winchester
8	Sat.	West Roxbury H. S.	"
10	Mon.	Everett H. S.	Everett
15	Sat.	Mckay Boys School	Winchester
19	Wed.	Reading H. S.	Reading
22	Sat.	Arlington H. S.	Arlington
26	Wed.	Milton Academy	Milton
28	Fri.	Melrose H. S.	Winchester
31	Mon.	A special	
June 2	Wed.	Medford H. S.	"
7	Mon.	Woburn H. S.	Woburn
9	Wed.	Stoneham H. S.	Winchester
12	Sat.	Mechanic Arts H. S.	"
16	Wed.	Woburn H. S.	"

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

March 16, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Received and approved bond of the Treasurer for $20,000 in the American Surety Company of New York.

M. S. Nelson h[illegible] delegation from Loring avenue, re[illegible] change in drainage on said Lo[illegible]nue. Matter laid over for perso[illegible] vation.

Received and placed on file le[illegible] from Boston & Maine railroad in regat[illegible] to Cross street bridge.

Voted, to hold a public hearing on application of Irving L. Symmes for permission to store gasoline at 632 Main street, March 30th next, at 8 p. m.

Voted, to grant Blank Bros. permission to move building 632 Main street to Middlesex street, subject to the usua[illegible] agreement, and under supervision of the Town Engineer.

Voted, to grant an auctioneer's license to H. A. Goddard for one year from April 1, 1909.

Voted, to request the Boston & Northern Street Railway to make necessary changes in paving on track on North Main street, and to put in them catch basins and use gates as recommended by the Supt. of Streets.

Adjourned at 10.15 p. m.

George H. Lochman, Clerk.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Rev. Roderick Dundonald, the noted Scotch lecturer, who has been heard with great pleasure in many of the churches about Boston, will deliver a lecture at the Second Congregational Church, Cross street, this Friday evening, March 19, at 7.45 p. m., on "Peasant Life in Scotland." Mr. Dundonald speaks the Gaelic, and comes from the vicinity of Loch Lomond. His lectures give a very vivid view of a most picturesque type of life in the Highlands.

Covel's homemade candies made every day.

Mrs. Dr. Shepherd and her mother, Mrs. A. P. Week's returned Monday night from a two week's visit to New York. They had a delightful time.

In order that Winchester people may attend the revival meetings at the First Congregational Church, Woburn, a special car will leave the centre Tuesday evening at 7.20.

The will of the late Rev. Daniel March, who died in Woburn March 2, has been filed in the probate court. It bequeaths $125,000, all in personal property, and is dated May 9, 1908. The books, furniture, pictures and apparatus in the study at the First Congregational Church he leaves to the church. The rest of the estate he divides betwen his two sons, Frederick W. March, who is a missionary in Syria and Charles A. March, who is a government employee in Washington.

The Artemis Club will present two plays for the benefit of the Boston Children's Aid Society, shortly after Easter.

The new electric block signals on the steam railroad are now in use, being operated for the first time last week.

It is understood that Hon. Samuel J. Elder will give a smoke talk at the Calumet Club in the near future.

The arrangements between Winchester and Woburn are now completed regarding their respective fire alarm systems, so that the fire alarms of both places are received in the fire stations of each town.

On Tuesday evening, March 23d, under the auspices of The Fortnightly, Roland D. Grant, D.D., will lecture in the Town Hall. The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock, and Dr. Grant's subject will be "Trees of Eden, or Snakes in Paradise." Tickets at 50 cents each can be obtained of Mrs. H. A. Wheeler or at Abare's drug store.

The death of Mr. Ferdinand J. Cook of Newton occurred last Saturday evening. Mr. Cook will be remembered as a resident of Winchester, and a member of the family of Mr. Harry A. Wheeler, of Cliff street for five years, both before and after his marriage. He was prominently connected with the Methodist church during the pastorate of Rev. Joel Leonard and had a wide circle of friends here who deeply sympathize with Mrs. Cook in her sorrow. He leaves his wife, who is a sister of Mrs. Wheeler, and a young son and daughter.

Snakes in Paradise! Who but Dr. Grant could evolve such a lecture from such a theme? A lecture in which the paradoxes of Scripture are reconciled; a lecture in which the contradictions of human life are harmonized; a lecture in which is disclosed the pathos in a laugh, and the ridiculous that lurks in tears is made manifest; a lecture wherein the old man finds himself gamboling like the boy he was, and the stripling wrinkles his brow with the wisdom of a sage; a lecture dripping honey and flowing wormwood; a lecture dealing with the things of Time yet in such a manner that the listener forgets the bounds of time and space and walks face to face with archangels and enters into the very council chamber of the living God.

Master Richard Higgins, who is ill with scarlet fever, is rapidly recovering. His brother John is staying with Mrs. Dr. Mead while the quarantine is on.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SOCIAL

February and March Groups Unite in Giving Pleasing Entertainment.

The March Social of the First Congregational Church was given in the church vestries last evening by the ladies of the February and March social groups. A large attendance of the church people and their friends graced the evening and a most pleasing entertainment was given, followed by a social hour and refreshments. The entertainer of the evening was Phidelah Rice of Boston, whose readings have attracted considerable attention recently in this section. Mr. Rice gave as his selection "Peaceful Valley," which proved to be most acceptable to his large audience. At the close of his program ices and cake were served, the following young ladies assisting: Miss Locke, Miss Gladys Folts, Miss Marion Parshley, Miss Marguerite Heath, Miss Elsie Enman, Miss Edna Hawes, Miss Hazel Corey, Miss Alice Sands, Miss Raymore Neilson, Miss Gertrude Cameron, Miss Gladys Blaikie, Miss Ruth Lawrence, Miss Constance Lane, Miss Constance Parker, Miss Katherine Fisk and Miss Purrington.

The Committee of ladies who had the evening in charge follow:

February Group.

Mrs. John E. Emery, 10 Dix st.
Chairman

Abbott, Miss H. B. 81 Bacon st.
Adams, Miss Jessie, 22 Dix st.
Anderson, Mrs. Charles O. 8 Clark st.
Baldwin, Mrs. Edward L. 1 Lakeview rd.
Barnes, Mrs. Franklin E. 2 Fenwick rd.
Boone, Mrs. Allen F. 19 Grove st.
Bowers, Mrs. Alpheus, 16 Brooks st.
Bridges, Mrs. Henry S. 37 Lloyd st.
Brown, Miss Bessie B. 10 Myrtle st.
Brown, Mrs. Charles F. 1 Eaton st.
Brown, Mrs. Maurice F. 12 Myrtle st.
Cameron, Miss Gertrude, 10 Salem st.
Chafee, Mrs. William, 4 Pine st.
Chafee, Miss Mary, 4 Pine st.
Choate, Miss Sarah F. 21 Church st.
Clark, Miss Nettie, 185 Highland ave.
Cole, Mrs. George, 15 Mystic ave.
Corey, Mrs. Charles E. 32 Mt. Vernon st.
Corey, Mrs. James E. 36 Mt. Vernon st.
Cowdery, Mrs. Wm. R. 6 Mystic ave.
Currier, Mrs. C. F. A. 1 Webster st.
Cutter, Miss Abbie, 660 Main st.
Davis, Miss Mercy J. 5 Myrtle st.
Dodge, Mrs. George, A. 3 Glengarry
Eaton, Mrs. George H. 6 Ogden ave.
Eeles, Mrs. Chester P. 26 Lloyd st.
Enman, Mrs. John M. L. 130 Highland ave.
Enman, Miss Elsie, 130 Highland ave.
Erskine, Miss Ella, 538 Main st.
Freeman, Mrs. Alvin W. 12 Mystic ave.
Gage, Mrs. Charles F. 3 Madison ave.
Grover, Mrs. Arthur B. 12 Dix st.
Hawes, Miss Edna, 7 Stevens st.
Holbrook, Mrs. Charles H. 29 Mystic ave.
Kelley, Mrs. Erskine H. 465 Main st.
Kendall, Mrs. Charles E. 28 Washington st.
Kerr, Mrs. Fred N. 1 Lakeview rd.
Keyes, Miss Josephine, 14 Hillside ave.
Knapp, Mrs. Newton A. 8 Chestnut st.
Knapp, Miss Wilhelmina, 8 Chestnut st.
Kneeland, Miss Elizabeth, Pinckney st., Boston.
Lawson, Mrs. Arthur H. 10 Brooks st.
Livingstone, Mrs. James R. 10 Westley st.
Mason, Miss Carrie L. 11 Eaton st.
Mason, Miss Elizabeth 204 Main st.
McIntosh, Mrs. D. Homer, 534 Main st.
Mitchell, Mrs. Chauncey L. 3 Summit ave.
Mitchell, Miss Lillie, 3 Summit ave.
Mobbs, Mrs. W. W. 6 Nelson st.
Morrill, Mrs. Harry W. 10 Kendall st.
Nason, Mrs. A. M. 8 Orient st.
Nason, Miss Edith L. 8 Orient st.
Neilson, Miss Reymore 41 Cutting st.
Newman, Mrs. Sewall L. 34 Mt. Vernon st.
Nichols, Mrs. Nathaniel M. 8 Hillside ave.
Noyes, Miss Marion McG. 12 Everett ave.
Park, Mrs. Francis E. 9 Lagrange st.
Park, Miss Florence C. 9 Lagrange st.
Parshley, Mrs. Frederick A. 6 Warren st.
Peppard, Mrs. George H. 23 Mystic ave.
Prentiss, Miss Genevieve, 8 Hillside ave.
Roberts, Mrs. John L. 596 Main st.
Rowe, Mrs. Walter W. 30 Myrtle st.
Sands, Miss Margaret, 21 Lake st.
Sands, Mrs. William, 711 Main st.
Sherman, Mrs. Alfred T. 5 Lloyd st.
Siedhoff, Mrs. Carl F. A. 18 Lloyd st.
Stewart, Miss Ellen, 134 Highland ave.
Stinson, Miss Helen, 16 Myrtle st.
Stinson, Miss Mabel, 16 Myrtle st.
Stone, Miss Anna, 136 Washington st.
Stone, Miss Georgia, 136 Washington st.
Swan, Mrs. Emma F. 71 Bacon st.
Symmes, Mrs. Henry W. 11 Mystic ave.
Symmes, Mrs. Samuel J. 404 Main st.
Tappan, Miss Amanda, 78 Church st.
Taylor, Miss Leslie, 233 Washington st.
Taylor, Miss Louise, 233 Washington st.
Tilley, Mrs. Catherine, 50 Cutting st.
Towne, Mrs. Cleon D. 24 Wildwood st.
Townsend, Mrs. Margaret, 13 Lloyd st.
Townsend, Miss Helen, 13 Lloyd st.
Trott, Mrs. Frank G. 53 Cutting st.
Trott, Mrs. Lemuel G. 53 Cutting st.
Tucker, Mrs. Edward A. 119 Highland ave.
Woods, Mrs. Jotham G. Walnut st.

March Group.

Mrs. Fred B. Jordan, 3 Glen rd.
Mrs. George D. Lawrence, 38 Glen rd.
Chairmen

Adriance, Mrs. S. W. 9 Mt. Pleasant st.
Ash, Mrs. Horace W. Fairview ter.
Bagley, Miss Bertha, 129 Highland ave.
Bates, Mrs. George H. 97 Cambridge st.
Bigelow, Mrs. E. Allen, 5 Francis cir.
Blaikie, Miss Gladys, 45 Everett ave.
Blood, Mrs. Henry C. 24 Vine st.
Bradford, Mrs. Fred A. 163 Cambridge st.
Burgess, Mrs. George A. 8 Glen rd.
Butler, Mrs. Herbert E. 2 Hancock st.
Cabot, Mrs. George S. 84 Highland ave.
Caldwell, Mrs. Eben, 11 Mt. Pleasant st.
Cate, Miss Emma, 15 Fletcher st.
Cate, Mrs. George N. 34 Washington st.
Clark, Miss Anna F. 2 Elmwood ave.
Claflin, Mrs. Emma H. 23 Calumet rd.
Elliott, Miss Eugenia, 18 Mt. Vernon st.
Folts, Mrs. Julius C. 42 Wildwood st.
Folts, Miss Maude, 42 Wildwood st.
Gerrish, Mrs. Frank M. 31 Sheffield rd.
Goodridge, Mrs. George A. 27 Eaton st.
Grant, Mrs. Charles A. 9 Harrison st.
Grover, Mrs. H. M. 170 Cambridge st.
Gustin, Mrs. Clarence H. 217 Cambridge st.
Gutterson, Mrs. George H. 18 Wedgemere ave.
Hamilton, Mrs. George H. 30 Vine st.
Harrison, Mrs. Arthur K. 5 Park ave.
Heath, Mrs. F. E. H. 9 Warren st.
Heath, Miss Helen B. 9 Warren st.
Heath, Miss Marguerite, 9 Warren st.
Hicks, Mrs. George H. 30 Prince ave.
Hight, Mrs. Francis W. 19 Cabot st.
Hinds, Miss Edith F. 6 Glen rd.
Hubbard, Miss Annie W. 6 Harrison st.
Hubbard, Miss Grace A. 6 Harrison st.
Irving, Mrs. Amanda S. 42 Wildwood st.
Irving, Miss Emma J. 42 Wildwood st.
Jetters, Mrs. Charles R. 40 Glen rd.
Lane, Mrs. Charles A. 37 Glen rd.
Lawrence, Miss Dorothy, 38 Glen rd.
Lawson, Mrs. Charles L. 320 Washington st.
Letavour, Mrs. William A. 376 Main st.
Lewis, Mrs. Clarence H. 12 Glen rd.
Liscomb, Mrs. C. Francis, 283 Washington st.
Locke, Mrs. George, 17 Ridge st.
Locke, Miss Alice, 17 Ridge st.
Locke, Miss Edna, 17 Ridge st.
Mason, Mrs. Elizabeth N. 204 Main st.
McIntosh, Mrs. William R. 21 Stone ave.
Parker, Miss Constance, 408 Main st.
Parkhurst, Mrs. Lawrence H. 38 Eaton st.
Pelton, Mrs. Frank A. 117 Cambridge st.
Purrington, Mrs. George W. 138 Cambridge st.
Pushee, Mrs. Leslie D. 14 Harrison st.
Raynolds, Mrs. John Lincoln st.
Richardson, Miss Elizabeth C. 11 Francis cir.
Richardson, Miss Martha, 11 Francis cir.
Richardson, Miss Mary, 11 Francis cir.
Robinson, Mrs. Henry C. 17 Winthrop st.
Sands, Miss Alice, 21 Lake st.
Sands, Miss Cassie, 21 Lake st.
Sands, Mrs. George H. 21 Lake st.
Sands, Miss Ida, 21 Lake st.
Shaw, Mrs. Ernest D. 1 Eaton ct.
Simonds, Mrs. Roland E. 32 Vine st.
Skinner, Miss Jennie E. 587 Main st.
Smith, Mrs. Lester F. Ridge st.
Smith, Mrs. F. Patterson, 63 Bacon st.
Smith, Mrs. Josiah L. Ridge st.
Smith, Mrs. Wilmer E. High st.
Smythe, Mrs. Robert John, Warren st.
Stone, Miss Grace, 136 Washington st.
Towne, Mrs. Cleon G. 37 Calumet rd.
Towne, Miss Lillian, 37 Calumet rd.
Whitehorne, Mrs. G. B. 40 Eaton st.
Whitehorne, Miss Helen, 40 Eaton st.
Wilder, Mrs. A. T. 18 Wedgemere ave.
Wood, Mrs. Allen H. 17 Cabot st.
Wright, Mrs. Howard P. 18 Harrison st.

VALUE OF TOWN MEETING DISCUSSION.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

The value of discussing matters of public interest in town meeting until a conclusion is reached has been clearly shown in the outcome of the fisheries question. Both sides have now got what they want, for the water board motion as ammended by Mr. Russell is exactly the same in substance as Mr. Whitney's motion which he withdrew because the Russell ammendment accomplished more directly what he was after, to wit, reference of the whole fishing matter to the State Board of Health. Its withdrawal also cut off a threatened debate on parliamentary law. This conclusion is a compromise all around and a wise one. We are sure to get what is right now regarding fishing in the reservoirs. All this has been brought about by discussion or debate.

Town by-laws and State laws and their relation to each other are now more clearly understood than at first, for there seems to be no doubt but what the Met. Park Commission and its legal adviser thought the Winchester fishing vote was a town by-law when an opinion was asked regarding its enforcement, and that opinion when rendered last spring only applied to its lack of legal authority to enforce town by-laws and not state laws in the reservation. All the communications of the Water Board and Board of Health in the STAR stated that a new by-law was wanted and an article in the town warrant so implied. When the proposed new by-law prohibiting fishing was lately brought to the attention of town counsel and the attorney general, it was found out that such a by-law would not be approved and the water board must work under existing state law in controlling fishing and pollution of our reservoirs. For this reason a change of base was made and the town by-law project was abandoned and reference to State Board of Health took its place.

This course was very commendable on the part of the Water Board as was their abandonment of instructing the State Board of Health that the town desired prohibition of fishing altogether. This left the whole question open for the State Board to pass upon. No one has supposed for a moment that the Water Board ever meant to allow pollution of the reservoirs because the fishing vote was passed by the town, but that pollution followed the vote because the Metropolitan authorities understood the vote was a town by-law and therefore its provisions could not be legally enforced outside of Winchester. Open and free discussion has cleared the situation and good will surely result from the town meeting debate. It is significant that at the end of the long discussion last week the vote first offered after being much ammended, was acceptable to pratically all the meeting including all the principal debaters. This conclusion speaks well for the value of open, free town-meeting discussion.

SPECTATOR.

MRS. DUPEE'S WILL.

The will of Louise H. Dupee, who died Feb. 25, 1909, has been filed in the Probate Court at East Cambridge. The will is dated August 15, 1895, and names George A. Dupee of Winchester, as executor.

To her daughter, Louise H. McDonald, she gave all her clothing and personal effects; to her husband, Charles H. Dupee, she gives all her real and personal estate. After her husband's death, she desires that the sum of $50 be paid to Ronald M. and Mabel A. Dupee.

She also provides that after the death of her husband the property is to go to her children, Louise H. McDonald, George A. Dupee and William O. Dupee.

The estate is valued at $25,000, all in real estate.

FOR HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS.

The Boston & Northern has announced that it will offer a prize of $25 for the best cover design submitted by a pupil of the High schools in this district.

For any other designs submitted of which use is made at any time later either as a whole as submitted or for the idea contained, it will pay $5.

Designs should be drawn for use on a folder, the up and down dimensions of which are 7 3-4 in. with a width of 4 1-4 in. and should be drawn either this size or larger in the same proportion so that they could be reduced to this size, preferably larger. The designs should be in two colors, any two colors.

The design should be descriptive of a trip on this railroad. Sketches should be submitted by April 5th to the passenger agent of the B. & N.

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THE PRICE OF GAS.

That the report of the special town committee on the price of gas, may have a more general reading, the STAR prints the report in full as follows:

Your Committee, appointed to investigate the question of securing lower prices for illuminating gas to the inhabitants of the town, report as follows:

The Committee has studied the reports of the Gas Company which distributes gas in the town, showing the amount of business done and the returns therefrom; has made comparison with similar reports of other companies; has examined the conditions under which the business is conducted here, as compared with the business conducted by gas companies in other localities, and has conferred with the officials of the Arlington Gas Light Company.

As a result, the Committee is not able to report that a radical reduction in price can reasonably be demanded of the Arlington Gas Light Company at the present time. That Company operates in Winchester, Arlington and Belmont, an extended territory having no densely populated districts and few manufacturing plants. The field of operation is, therefore, not one in which a reduction in price would necessarily result in a corresponding increase in output. The Company has improved its physical condition in recent years, and has gradually reduced the price of gas. The Company is well managed and apparently gets only a moderate return on its investment. Its officials declare it to be the policy of the Company to reduce rates as fast as conditions permit.

It seems probable to your Committee that, if gas were furnished to this town by a company also doing business in larger and more densely populated districts than does the Arlington Gas Light Company, gas could be obtained in Winchester at a lower price.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN ABBOTT,
JOHN H. CARTER,
CHARLES A. LANE.

QUICK ADVERTISING THE BEST.

Dr. Roland Dwight Grant was to lecture in a South Carolina town. The last train had come and he was not on it, so the committee decided there was to be no lecture. But with the pluck of all platform men he had pushed across country with horses and arrived an hour before time. The committee called to express their regret, saying they had notified the people there would be no lecture. The doctor with a very happy smile, said, "I am very sorry, too, for I had rather lecture than not and missing one will be a loss out of my life, but as the train leaves at eight o'clock the committee of course will meet me at the train with the hundred dollar fee all the same, as I am here in time to deliver the goods." The committee acknowledged the situation and said they would do it gladly. "But," said the doctor, a better way is to immediately get a man and a horse giving him a bell to ring, shouting that Dr. Grant is to lecture in the Hall on Snakes and Paradise at 8.30." The committee went happily about it and did just the thing, creating a splendid enthusiasm, and packing the hall on time, with the biggest audience they ever had, and everybody parted loving friends. Dr. Grant's motto is, "To master an emergency is the secret of life," which has been demonstrated on many occasions like the above.

Dr. Grant is to lecture next Tuesday evening, March 23d in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Fortnightly.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

George Adams Woods has sold for Mary Kelley her nine-room house and 6825 square feet of land on Main street and 1780 square feet in the lot adjoining to Dr. Harold A. Gale, who buys for a home. The same broker has sold for Carrie N. Brigham her new nine-room house and 4000 square feet of land on Main street to Dr. William H. Gilpatric, who buys for immediate occupancy.

Through the same office Mr. E. Abbott Bradlee has purchased the last house erected by Capt. Nickerson on Everett avenue. Mr. Bradlee is a Boston broker, a well known member of the Calumet and Country clubs, and comes here from Medford.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The local union held its regular meeting in connection with a sewing bee at Mrs. R. W. Dover's. Work for the sale April 13, 14 and 15, at Lorimer Hall, Tremont Temple was done by members and friends and it was voted to have another meeting April 2 to complete the articles. The following superintendents were appointed: Flower Mission and State and National organs, Mrs. A. A. Rowe; Legislative, Mrs. G. H. Hamilton; Soldiers and Sailors, Mrs. E. C. Lovering, Frances E. Willard; Settlement, Mrs. Daniel Kelley; Press work and Literature, Mrs. F. B. Tracy.

After the business, refreshments were served and Alfred and Harold Dover gave some music.

Three new members were enrolled and others are promised as the result of special efforts to increase the membership.

Great interest has been manifested among the people who favor prohibition, in the report from the Legislative Committee indorsing the proposition to submit the question of a prohibitory amendment. That the temperance advocates were as much surprised as their opponents is generally true but they were not slow in coming to its support. The great majority for no-license last year in connection with the great temperance reform in other parts of the country are factors in its favor. The recent revivals also supposed to have considerable influence in awakening church members to a sense of their responsibility for the liquor traffic.

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TOWN MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Town Meeting of March 1, 1909, was adjourned to meet at the

TOWN HALL,
MONDAY, MARCH 29, 1909,
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JOHN G. HOVEY,
Town Clerk.

March 17, 1909.

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GAIETY THEATRE.

An announcement that is sure to please all who like good burlesque, is the coming of Weber & Rush's show, "The Dainty Duchess" to the Gaiety Theatre for a week, beginning the 22nd. The arrival of this company is watched for with an unusual amount of interest by theatregoers who are anxious to see the well known comedian, Phil Mills, and the beautiful Mildred Stoller, the burlesque favorite.

The chorus is "a dream," having been selected from the front lines of the big Broadway productions.

The feature of this act is the lightning changes of Miss Stoller, right before the eyes of the audience, with the assistance of her two maids. And then there comes the "Dance of the Devils," a gorgeous display of feminine beauty. The Potter-Hartwell Trio of acrobats, is one of the big features of the vaudeville olio. Daily matinees at the Gaiety are at 2.15 o'clock.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

There is no more popular attraction than this dainty, little English comedienne, who won her way into the American hearts and in a short year became the highest priced attraction in vaudeville. The mere announcement of her appearance at Keith's always makes a big week a certainty, and this will positively be her last appearance before starting out at the head of her own company in a Klaw and Erlanger production. Miss Lloyd has been resting for some weeks and during this resting period she has made a new collection of songs, some of which are said to be even better than such favorites as "Splash Me," "Looking for the Love-light," and "What are You Getting at, Eh?"

The surrounding bill will be in keeping with this splendid headline feature.

The "pure food law" is designed by the Government to protect the public from injurious ingredients in both foods and drugs. It is beneficial both to the public and to the conscientious manufacturer. Ely's Cream Balm, a successful remedy for cold in the head, nasal catarrh, hay fever, etc., containing no injurious drugs, meets fully the requirements of the new law, and that fact is prominently stated on every package. It contains none of the injurious drugs which are required by the law to be mentioned on the label. Hence you can use it safely.

BOSTON THEATRE.

While "The Man of the Hour" which William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer brought to the Boston Theatre last Monday, renewed its former great popularity in Boston, it can only remain for the week beginning the 22nd instant. It grips and keeps hold.

"The Man of the Hour" is talked about everywhere. Men and women prominent in social life, as well as leaders in business and political affairs, flock to see it.

Oscar Hammerstein's Manhattan Theatre grand opera company begins an all too brief engagement of two weeks Monday night, March 29. The sale of seats for the single performances begins on March 22 at 9 o'clock a. m. The season tickets have already been delivered. Their number and the wealth and social standing of those who have applied for and received them, insures a season of grand opera of which Boston will be proud.

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CHALLENGES HENRY LYONS.

For several years interest in pool playing has been dormant in Woburn. Recently, however, owing to renewed activity among clubs, interest in pool is awakened.

Who the best player in the city is has always aroused great interest. The point has never been definitely settled, either, because very often the best players will not enter public contests.

Among local pool experts, a man who has remained in the limelight is Henry Lyons of Winchester. He is never backward in seeking a match or claiming the championship of this vicinity.

During the present winter, especially, there has been much talk from him and his supporters, until the present passing unchallenged. Now if he wants a match he can secure it, for Michael Connolly, recognized as one of the good, if not the best player in this city, is ready to meet Mr. Lyons in a 100 ball match and challenges him to make good his championship claims.—Woburn News.

STONED RAILROAD TRAIN.

Three trains on the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine were stoned, presumably by boys, after dusk, last Sunday evening, between Winchester Highlands and Montvale. In each case, windows were broken, and in two cases passengers were hit by the stones and flying glass, though not seriously injured.

While the Concord and Montreal express was speeding toward Boston, at ten minutes of six, a stone crashed through one of the coach windows and frightened the passengers. The in-bound Stoneham train, due soon after at Montvale, was the next target of attack, and half an hour later, the 6.30 from Boston to Stoneham was stoned and flying glass covered one of the men in the smoker, the stone shying into the emergency tool case at the end of the car. The man was not injured.

It is the intention of the railroad officials if the boys are caught to push this case to the limit.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Service this Friday afternoon as usual at 5 o'clock. Volunteer choir will sing.

At the address on Confirmation Sunday afternoon the rector will speak of Confirmation Service.

The date of the Bishop's coming is next week Friday, March 26, the service to be at 5 o'clock.

The Quiet Day comes next Wednesday, March 24th. The program of hours has been printed and distributed. Copies may be found at the church. The first service is at 10 a. m. and the last at 3.30 p. m. Notice of this observance has been sent to the other parishes of the North Suburban District. The leader for the day is to be the Rev. Edmund S. Rousmaniere.

It is suggested to those who are to be confirmed that they attend the last part of the Quiet Day beginning at 2.45 p. m. The rector will meet those who are to be confirmed at the church at the close of the Quiet Day at 4 p. m.

The preacher appointed for the evening of the Quiet Day is the Rev. W. H. Cambridge of St. Mark's School, Southborough. The service will be at 8 o'clock.

Beginning Thursday, March 25th, following the Quiet Day there will be daily service at 5 o'clock until Palm Sunday.

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A petition in equity filed by Mrs. Mary E. Coffin, widow of the late Abraham B. Coffin, of Winchester, against Alfred S. Hall, Esq., and Ralph E. Joslin, Esq., executors of the estate, was heard before Judge Charles J. McIntire in the Probate Court at East Cambridge, last week Thursday.

Mrs. Coffin claimed that her husband made a gift to her of a certain bank book on the Stoneham Savings Bank, No. 178. She claims that the book was never formally assigned to her in accordance with the rules and regulations of the bank. She claimed that she had requested the above executors to make a formal assignment to her but that they have refused to do so.

An answer of the Stoneham Savings Bank admitted the bank book deposit. The answer on the executors stated that David B. Coffin claimed the money, $1000, and asked the court to determine who was to have the money.

Miss E. C. Crosby who attended Mr. Coffin during his last illness, was the witness. She testified how about two weeks before Mr. Coffin died, he called her into the room one morning and asked her to get a package in the chiffonier. She got the package and held it up for his inspection. "That's the stuff" said Mr. Coffin. She placed the package on a stand beside the bed and got Mr. Coffin's glasses, a pen and his check book, at his request.

She then called Mrs. Coffin into the room. Mr. Coffin drew the package out from under the bed clothes and said to his wife, "I cannot give this direct, legally, but I can give it to you through a third person," passing the package to her and she passing it in turn to Mrs. Coffin. She testified that she signed the codicil made by Mr. Coffin, Feb. 15 1907.

Mrs. Mary E. Coffin, wife of Mr. Coffin was the next witness. She testified that she was married to Mr. Coffin in 1888. He was then 56 years old, and was 78 years old at his death. She testified as to how she received the bank book from Miss Crosby. She said she had been a singer before her marriage and sang in churches and also did concert work, getting an income of $1200 a year. She continued singing for eight years after her marriage. She said she spent her musical income on her wardrobe and on music lessons. When she went to Europe in 1890, with Mr. Coffin, she paid her own expenses.

She told of receiving an envelope containing two mortgages after her husband's death.

An inventory of the estate showed the real estate to be $19,850 and the personal property $14,741.06.

Mrs. Coffin told how her husband gradually grew weaker and weaker, so weak that he was hardly able to write.

Mrs. Coffin testified that she knew nothing of her husband's financial matters. She remembered the $1000 being deposited in the Stoneham Savings Bank, as one morning she went driving with her husband and he stopped off at the bank to make a deposit.

The night before Mr. Coffin had come home from Boston all tired out. She assisted him in taking off his overcoat. As she took out a handkerchief from one of his pockets she found a large roll of bills. He put the money in his safe until the morning.

David B. Coffin, a brother of the deceased, and the father of Augustus Warren Coffin, testified that he was a trader by profession. His son is a musician and is in very poor health.

He said that his boy played the flute and the piccolo and had served six years in the army as musician. Three years in the Philippine Islands ruined his health.

He testified that while his brother was the executor of the Richards' estate in Brookline, he acted as caretaker for the property, which was on Clyde street, opposite the Country Club grounds. He made arrangements with his brother to sell the place.

He went with his brother to see Attorney Sherman L. Whipple, in regard to selling the place, the deceased told him that Whipple would give him a good commission as his son was in poor health. Nothing was said in regard to the amount of the commission.

He told of later being in Winchester with his brother and before they took a train for Boston, the deceased gave him a check for $1000, which represented the commission promised him. Arriving in Boston, he went to the Old Colony Trust Co., where he cashed the check, getting ten one hundred bills. This was November 20, 1905. With his brother they went up to Lasterbrook & Emery's cigar store. Here David Coffin said, he put the package in bills in his brother's inside vest pocket. His brother said he was going to put the money in the bank. That was the last he saw of the money.

He testified that the Brookline property was sold for $10,000. He said that since he was ten years old he always gave everything over to his brother to handle for him, and that he never took a receipt for anything he gave him.

He stated that he believed the bank book in question contained his $1000 commission.

Judge McIntire took the case under advisement.—Woburn Times.

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TOWN MEETING.

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Mr. Tuck favored leaving the matter for two weeks to the adjournment.

Mr. Robert Coit favored referring the matter to a committee; Mr. Pratt's motion was carried.

Article 21 having been already acted upon Article 22 was taken up.

"To see if the Town will accept and allow a certain street as and for a town way as laid out by the Selectmen, said street beginning at Pine street and running in a northerly direction to Wedge Pond."

The following motion, offered by Chairman Dwinell of the Selectmen, was lost: "That the report of the Selectmen on laying out of Curtis street, so called, be accepted, and that said street as so laid out, be accepted and allowed as a town way."

Mr. Whitney desired to know whether the street had been built and what was the grade, to which Mr. Dwinell replied that the street was not only built for almost its entire length, but also macadamized.

Mr. John Carter gave his opinion that if the Town accepted the street it should accept all others in the future. He did not favor the motion. A rising vote was necessary on the question, and the motion was lost.

Article 24. A motion under this article was offered by Chairman Dwinell, who stated that the matter was to simplify the bookkeeping in the Cemetery department, the men working part of their time now on one account and part on another.

The following was the motion passed: "That the Cemetery Construction Account be abolished, and the amount standing to the credit of said account be transferred to Cemetery Maintenance Account, and that amounts heretofore authorized be transferred from sale of lots to Construction Account, be credited to Maintenance Account."

Article 25. To see if the Town will adopt the following as Sections 22, 23, 24 and 25 of Article 3 of the By-Laws:

Section 22. Water from the roof of a building shall not be allowed to flow upon or across the surface of a sidewalk.

Section 23. No person shall permit a leader or conductor from the roof of a building owned by him to be placed or maintained as to direct a volume of water upon or across the surface of a sidewalk.

Section 24. Every building erected upon the line or within eight feet of the line of any street or travelled way, having a slated pitch roof sloping toward said street or way, shall be provided with suitable snow barriers or guards to prevent the snow sliding therefrom, the same to be constructed and applied to the satisfaction of the Selectmen.

Section 25. The provisions of Sections 22, 23 and 24 shall apply to buildings now in existence as well as to those which may be hereafter erected.

Upon motion of Mr. Robert Coit the article was adopted in the form given in the Warrant, it being the same vote previously passed by the Town, so altered to be acceptable to the Attorney General.

Mr. Whitney thought the rules were too broad, that all houses situated close to the sidewalks should be included and saw no reason why snow should be allowed to fall from shingled roofs and not from those of slate.

Under Article 26 Mr. Dwinell offered the motion "That the Town respectfully declines to receive the documents, and directs the Town Clerk to forwar to the Secretary of the Commonwealth a certified copy of this vote."

In this connection Mr. Dwinell stated that the Town was liable to a fine if it accepted these records and did not properly care for them and keep them in a convenient public place. He stated that the documents were rarely, if ever, read, and were stored in the upper part of the Town Hall. In view of the close proximity to the State House they were always readily accessible. The motion was passed as he offered it.

At this point Mr. Tuck succeeded in securing a vote to again go back to Article 4, applying to the appointment of committees.

His first motion under this article was as follows: "That our Representative to the General Court, Mr. Barnard, be instructed by the citizens herein town meeting assembled, to work and vote for House Bill 701, for legislation to provide for the more speedy abolition of grade crossings, and for the establishment of a permanent grade crossing commission, and that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to advise him of this vote."

The motion was questioned, but allowed, and upon vote was carred.

Mr. Tuck's next motion under the article was as follows: "That the Selectmen tell the citizens in this town meeting now assembled what revenue the Town is receiving from the Linden street house, and that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the same.

Mr. Tuck spoke upon the motion, stating that he understood no revenue was received, and that if the Town demanded its rent the money received would have to be paid out by the Poor department. The motion was carried.

Mr. Hall then introduced a motion as follows: "That the Water Board be requested to ascertain and report to the Town at some early meeting the probable cost of acquiring the right to all the water flowing from Long Pond in the Middlesex Fells Reservation, and the right to all the water now forming a brook running westerly at the head of Mt. Vernon street, and conduct all such waters into one of the reservoirs of the town."

Mr. Hall stated that he believed the matter was of great importance to the Town. The water was of the best and was of considerable quantity, and if proper drainage was to be made for its carriage to the Mill pond the expense would be large. If the Town was to expend this money it should derive some benefit from it and it would undoubtedly need more pure water for drinking purposes in the future.

Mr. Whitney further amended the motion by including Norton's pond, so called, situated at the head of Lawson road. This motion as amended was carried.

Mr. Tuck then introduced another motion as follows: "That the School Committee be requested to increase the pay of our school teachers now receiving $650 and less, 10 per cent."

Mr. Currier stated that if this motion passed the Town must be prepared to dmake a larger appropriation for the schools. The increased expenditure would mean $23,950 increase.

Mr. Tuck then made an attempt to introduce another motion concerning the investigation of tainted beef by the Board of Health, which was lost, and upon motion the meeting was adjourned.

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An Important Matter.

Probably the most important piece of business that has yet come before the present annual town meeting was that introduced by Alfred T. Hall last Monday evening. It was as follows:

> That the Water Board be requested to ascertain and report to the town at some early meeting the probable cost of acquiring the right to all the water flowing from Long Pond in the Middlesex Fells Reservations, and the right to all the water now forming a brook running westerly at the head of Mt. Vernon street, and conduct all such waters into one of the reservoirs of the town. Mr. Whitney moved to amend by also including Norton's pond at the head of Lawson road.

This matter is of great importance to the town, as it not only assures an additional supply of pure water for the south reservoir, but also relieves the town of a prospective great expense and a fixed question in providing suitable drainage for this water by the way of the Aberjona river and mill pond. It will also give enhanced value to real estate that has long suffered from the overflow of the ponds. Unquestionably if the Water Board after looking into the matter, recommends that the water of the ponds be diverted into the reservoir, the citizens will also heartily agree.

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FREIGHT YARD CONTENTION.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

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Perhaps the third decision will be in his favor and then the STAR will undoubtedly be glad to say for him that the old alleged flaw in the mill pond title which "A. C. V." discovered a long time ago and "kept up his sleeve" until he got a chance to sell his knowledge professionally, worked well and it was certainly worth the $25 his clients, the Millers, paid the Buells for it. "A. C. V." should possess himself with patience and wait for his vindication from the supreme court and not be put out with the report of progress, which report is certainly free from personalities and contains a correct transcript of the late decision of the land court which, after all, was the important part of the article. The writer thinks the facts in the case are fairly stated. The article certainly did not "slop over" in the present instance, as professional lawyers sometime do when they cannot make water run up hill or the law is not decided in their favor.

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Paul de Kock, seated in the orchestra, we also read, protested against his piece and made so much noise that his neighbors demanded silence. Casmir Delavigne remained at home. Alexandre Soumet went to be shaved when "Jeanne d'Arc" was produced. The barber had finished one cheek when the author cried: "Stop! Here are 30 sous. Go round to the theater and see if they hiss or applaud the piece." The barber returned, saying: "It is a success, monsieur. They applaud." "Since it is a success," replied the author, "shave the other." Scribe appeared in the best of spirits and encouraged the actors, but at the end he became nervous and tore his handkerchief with his teeth. Rossini walked about the back of the stage with his cane in his hand. Auber was never present on the first night of his works, and Bayard on reaching the stage is reported to have said that he experienced sudden illness.—New York Mail.

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OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Further consolidations of clerkships and offices is desirable, and inasmuch as it always requires several special reports before action is taken, we might just as well appoint another committee at the next town meeting to continue investigating.

The biggest problem before Winchester is the handling of the ponds and rivers in its largest aspect. When we stop to consider we must recognize it, and it has always been a question in my mind whether we were looking into it as we should in connection with the grade crossing abolition. This is a matter that calls for most careful consideration and it should be taken up now.

"When a mechanic dabbles in law" is good, but it strikes me as gross ingratitude for members of the legal profession to object excepting in cases where the layman dabbles deeper than he has any license to and unhorses, sometimes, the "profesh." In which cases of course he should be made to pay a double fee whenever he has to call in "the brothers."

"And they ran down an exceeding high place into the sea," with the lines of Curtis street, and as no explanation was made to the meeting they were overwhelmed, as was meet, for their action was passing strange, special and peculiar and could not be tolerated, reason being wanting therefor.

Now that the School Committee has decided to have public hearing days why should not all of the boards adopt the plan. The special committees also might have public hearings and judging by some of the recent reports they need them to furnish evidence and material, which was sadly lacking.

The difference of opinion on street lighting contract between the Selectmen and the special committee seems to be largely one of ethical and practical, and might just as well have been put up to the town meeting Monday night for settlement as to wait two weeks.

It looks now as if the State tax will be as large as it was last year, when we got a boost of $5000, and as we will probably lose about as much more on our corporation tax receipts because of the law passed last year, it behooves our Assessors to be especially vigilant in order to keep our tax rate down.

The new Ap. Com. has but three members who were on last year's committee, although several have served previously and also held town offices, so we should get good results. It looks now as if we would be able to continue the reduction of our tax rate in 1910 under what this year's will probably be, but to lower it continually will require careful looking ahead.

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Following was the cast:

Larry Finnigan, "easy-going, good-natured, but not averse to a bit of shoddy" — Charles J. Harrold
Patrick, his son, rather too fond of dress, but not a bad fellow at heart — Harry R. Glendon
Rafferty, his friend through thick and thin — Dr. James H. O'Connor
Dutch Jake, his particular aversion — Arthur E. A. King
Count De Morney, one of the great flock of black sheep — Howard S. Cosgrove
Buttons, the butler — Daniel J. Daly
Mrs. Cordelia Finnigan, Larry's ambitious wife — Miss Margaret M. O'Loughlin
Gretchen, Jake's daughter — Miss Mary A. Cassidy
Lady Hannah Lovejoy, an adventuress — Miss Lillian J. Kane
Soloist — John J. Shaughnessy

Time—The present.

Place—New York City. A lapse of a month between the first and second acts; f a night between the second and third acts.

Needless to say Charles J. Harrold was the prime favorite. Mr. Harrold's recognized ability at both acting and managing is too favorably known for comment, and his portrayal of Larry Finnigan showed his usual careful preparation and unquestioned ability.

Patrick, the son and dude of the family, was well taken by Mr. Harry Glendon, and his attempt to imitate the style and mannerisms of a fop provoked much laughter. His friend, Rafferty, (Dr. Jas. H. O'Connor) proved of nearly as much fun as himself, and his "sticking" abilities were both provoking as well as welcome. Dutch Jake and Count De Morney were ably represented in the persons of Arthur E. A. King and Howard S. Cosgrove, and their none too easy parts were acted in a manner to evoke much applause in spite of their villainy. Mr. Daniel J. Daly as the butler was also remarkably good.

The ladies in the cast covered themselves with praise. Without them the play would have lost its great force and charm. Miss Cassidy as the sprightly Gretchen, Miss Kane as the subtle adventuress and Miss O'Loughlin as Larry's very ambitious wife, all filled their parts more than acceptably, and were certainly the favorites of the evening from the view point of the gentlemen in the audience.

During the evening the solos of Mr. John J. Shaughnessy were much enjoyed and proved a pleasing innovation. The piece was well staged throughout and very smoothly acted.

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The girl's basket ball class series started Wednesday with 1910 defeating 1909 by the score of 16 to 5, and 1911 defeating 1912, by the score of 15 to 13. Friday, at 3 o'clock 1909 will play 1911 and 1910 will oppose the freshmen.

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Clyde Fitch has written many plays, and he has never written a failure. Among the best and most popular of them is "Her Own Way," in which Maxine Elliott starred several seasons ago with her customary success. It will be given at the Castle Square next week by the John Craig Stock Company.

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Light and Hope.

Even in evil, that dark cloud which hangs over the creation, we discern rays of light and hope and gradually come to see in suffering and temptation proofs and instruments of the sublimest purposes of wisdom and love.—Channing.

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How many think to atone for the evil they have done by the good they intend to do and are only virtuous in prospective?—Eliot.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Congregational Church.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton, Minister, Parsonage, 400 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching. Anthems—"Hark, Hark My Soul," Shelley; "The Path of the Just," Matthews.

12 m. Sunday School. Lesson—Review of first quarter.

3.00 p. m. Children's Church Service. Theme,—"Jesus the Friend." All children under fifteen are welcome. Parents are also welcome.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—"Pilgrim's Progress Series, III. "The Wicket Gate." Leader—Mrs. Roland E. Simonds.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service with Lecture on Mexico, Spain and Austria. Stereopticon—Austrian slides furnished by our Foreign Pastor, Dr. Clark. Everybody welcome. Collection for the American Board.

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Wednesday, 4.30 p. m. The Minister's class. Learn lesson twenty-one.

7.45 p. m. Mid-week meeting for all in the vestry. Subject "Is it Harder to be a Christian Now than Ever Before?" Matt. 13: 16-43.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. The Church Committee will meet at the parsonage any who may desire to unite with the Church either by letter or on confession of faith, at the special communion before Easter.

Note—The Home Department Visitors will please get their quarterlies, etc., on Sunday in the vestry either after Church or Sunday School.

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Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

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Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. Pastor's subject, "The Kingdom of God."

12 m. Sunday School. The service will be read by Mr. Schuyler F. Herron, Superintendent of Schools.

7.00 p. m. Vesper Service. The Preacher will be the Rev. William H. Lyon of Brookline. A special musical order will be rendered.

March 25, Thursday, 3.00 p. m., Ladies Friendly Society. Sewing meeting.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.15 a. m. Preparatory Prayer.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the Pastor on "Soul-Winning." Prof. Albert E. Brown will sing, "Cast thy Bread on the Waters," by Roeckel, and "Remember Me," by Danks. Seats free. Welcome.

12 m. Sunday School. Classes for all.

12 m. Business Men's Conference. Pastor will conduct a conference on "The Church and Her Relation to the Town."

5.00 p. m. Prudential Committee will meet those who wish to unite with the church.

6.00 p. m. Young People's meeting. Miss Marguerite Downer will lead.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service with Baptism. Sermon "What Shall I do with Jesus?"

Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Chorus Rehearsal.

Tuesday, 7.20 p. m. Special cars leave for Woburn for Winchester delegation to attend in a body.

Wednesday 7.45 p. m. Church Prayer meeting. Topic "Following Jesus."

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor, residence, 17 Myrtle street.

10.30 a. m. Public worship. Singing by the quartette. Sermon by the Pastor.

12.00 m. Sunday School in church vestry. Review Lesson. Classes for all ages. Men's Bible Class. Leader—Mr. Leon E. Crouch.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Topic: "Facing Our Record." Leader, Mr. Edward Mason.

7.00 p. m. Service in the Auditorium. Sermon by the pastor. Chorus singing from the Alexander Books. All invited.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Cottage prayer meetings.

Church of the Epiphany.

Rev. John W. Suter, rector, 113 Church street.

Fourth Sunday in Lent.

8.00 a. m. Holy Communion.

10.30 a. m. Morning prayer and Sermon.

12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

3.30 p. m. Address on Confirmation.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the pastor.

12.15 p. m. Bible School and meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.45 p. m. Meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society. Mrs. Florence C. Howe will read Dr. Henry Van Dyke's "The Lost Word."

6.45 p. m. Gospel service, with brief sermon by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting.

Friday, 3 p. m. Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society at the residence of Mrs. George W. Richardson on Cross street.

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White Violets

By VIRGINIA BLAIR.

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Out of the darkness Margaret said: "Then every one knows it?"

"Every one but you, my dear. Over at the Country club it is common talk."

"But, Aunt Clara," vehemently, "they gossip so at the hotel."

"This isn't gossip. I've known it for a long time, Margaret."

"Oh"—the sigh was almost a sob—"he has always seemed such a gentleman."

"He has the training of one," Mrs. Kent affirmed. "His mother is charming."

After a moment's silence Margaret broke out, "But he saved my life, Aunt Clara."

There was a rustle of skirts as Mrs. Kent moved impatiently in her chair. "Yes, and that's the worst of it."

Mrs. Kent ended the longer silence that followed by ringing for lights.

"No, no," Margaret protested. "I like it better with just the fire."

"But I must go, dear, and dress for dinner, and you will be so dreary alone in the dark."

As she rose and stood by the couch her caressing fingers touched Margaret's cheek and found tears on it.

"You'd better have the lights," she said, and there was a worried note in her voice. "I hate to leave you here alone."

"Oh, I shall be all right," Margaret said. "I'll lie here in the dark and pet Toodlekins."

Still protesting, Mrs. Kent found her way out, and after a time in the big room there came the sound of a stifled sob, and another and another, and after that everything was very quiet. The flame of the fire died down. The green eyes of the little cat, snuggled close to her mistress, glowed in the blackness.

The click of an electric button and the flare-up of lights brought Margaret's head out of the cushion where she had buried it. She shielded her face with her hand.

"You are early, Uncle Dick."

"I'm late. What's the matter with the lights? Why didn't you get somebody to look after them?"

"I like the dark."

"Queer taste." He gave her a keen glance and sat down in the chair by the couch. "How's the foot?"

"It hurts a little, but it's going to be all right."

"Everybody at the club is talking about your accident. They are making a regular hero of Ridgeway." He settled himself back in the big chair and smiled at her genially. "He must have had the strength of a Hercules to hold those horses back."

"He's awfully strong," Margaret said and sat up. "His college record in athletics is fine."

"He flunked in some of his studies, though," Mr. Kent teased.

Margaret's face flamed. "I know." She smoothed the little cat with nervous fingers. "Is—is he very ill, Uncle Dick?"

"Who—Ridgeway? Um—well, that depends. He's a mighty nice fellow, Peggy." He caught the eagerness of her eyes and pulled himself up. "That is—oh, well, your Aunt Clara wouldn't exactly approve of him, and—and—I don't know that he's just the friend for you, Margaret."

"Oh!" came in fluttering protest, and after that Margaret lay with her eyes closed, and nothing was said for several minutes.

"Tired, little girl?" asked her uncle finally, and when she nodded he stood up.

"I must go and dress for dinner." He hesitated by the couch, looking down at her until she opened her eyes and held out her hand and said, "Dear Uncle Dick," and then he patted her cheek and said a little huskily, "Cheer up."

This time there was no friendly darkness to hide the tears, so Margaret dabbed at them with her handkerchief and stared until a ring of the front door bell brought her to an upright position.

"It's Mr. Ridgeway," the maid announced.

"I'm afraid I can't see him!" Margaret said nervously.

"Please," boomed a big voice from the hall—"please don't turn me out like that."

"Oh, well," Margaret agreed, and the maid's place between the curtains was usurped by a young man as big as his voice, who came over and picked up the pussy cat and dropped a small square box in its place. "If you'll let me pet Toodlekins I'll let you have some flowers," he said, and as he sat down the little cat curled into the hollow of his arm and sang her song of contentment, unruffled by the change.

There were white violets in the box, and Ridgeway said, his big voice softened by some fine emotion, "They always make me think of you."

"Oh, don't, don't!" Margaret said with quick caught breath, and Ridgeway stared at her in a puzzled way.

"Don't you like them?" he asked.

"Yes."

"Well, it's a funny way to show it." There was so much of the boy in him that Margaret smiled in spite of herself.

"It's because I like them so well that I don't want you to bring them to me any more."

"You don't"—

"I mean it," she said faintly. "You mustn't bring me any more flowers."

"Why not?" sharply.

"Because I can't take them."

"Why can't you take them?"

"Because"—

"That isn't any reason," he flung out. "Do you mean that you don't want me to come?"

She held out one slim hand to him. "Don't," she said beseechingly—"don't speak to me like that. We must always be good friends, but you mustn't come."

He took her hand. "It's to be just—friends?"

"Yes."

"Never anything more?"

"Never."

"And yet that night after the accident you let me kiss you—Margaret."

"Yes," very low.

The fire flickered and sapped. The little cat, disturbed somewhat, slipped down from Ridgeway's arms and curled herself up on the rug.

"Would you mind," Margaret said at last, "turning off the upper light? The strong glare hurts my eyes."

The rosy halo of the lamp made dark the distant corners of the room. Margaret on her couch was a dim outline. The little cat was invisible except for her emerald eyes. Ridgeway came back and sat down, then he bent forward.

"Margaret," he said sharply, "you are crying."

"Yes," she sobbed, "I'm crying—oh, because you are such a black sheep, Justin."

He drew his breath sharply. "So that's it?" he said at last.

"Yes. I didn't know until tonight. Aunt Clara told me."

He stood up. "Then there's nothing more to say. Good by."

He went to the door, hesitated and came back.

"Look here, Peggy," he said grimly, "if I were a story book hero I'd take my medicine and go away and suffer in silence. And it would all be very tragic and romantic, but it wouldn't be sensible."

He threw himself into the big chair and knitted his brows. "The sensible thing is to get over the difficulty. Let's begin at the beginning. Everybody says I'm a black sheep?"

"Yes," she murmured.

"Well, I am. I've wasted my time in riotous living, as the Bible says of the prodigal, and when I flunked in my studies I got what was coming to me. But that was before I met you, Peggy. I don't think my worst enemy could accuse me since the night I saw you at the junior prom in your white gown, with your hair twisted up in a big braid like a crown. You seemed the princess in a fairy tale, and I made up my mind then and there that I'd win out."

He drew a long breath and went on: "But now I know I'm not good enough, and I know, too, that I have not any right to ask you to wait for me. All I'll ask is that you don't condemn me utterly, don't shut me out from your life."

His voice broke. Then as she held out her hand to him he went on steadily:

"I'm only going to ask that you will believe in me and if, after two or three years, no one else has come into your life that you care for and I have made good, that you will let me plead my cause again."

He stood looking down at her. Her cheek was laid against the bunch of white violets. Their delicate fragrance was roundabout her.

"Dear little girl," he said, "I'll stick it out at college another year, and then I'll go into business with dad and show him what I can do. And if you will have faith in me"—

She sat up, her eyes shining. "Oh," she said, "I felt that back of it all there was a man in you, Justin—and then—when you saved my life—I felt that it belonged to you."

"I'm not half good enough," he said humbly.

She took from the bunch of violets a half dozen blossoms and held them out to him.

"They shall be a talisman," she said, "of faith and hope and love. You must let them keep you from all evil, Justin."

And as he knelt beside the couch the rapture in his eyes answered her.

It Made a Difference.

A Chinaman of noble birth had been invited to dine at William's home. His mother was very anxious that the guest should not be made uncomfortable by the little chap's curiosity, so she took him aside and explained all about the yellow skin, long braid of hair and almond eyes of the Mongolians and even showed him pictures of Chinese. She impressed upon him more than anything else the fact that the visitor was his father's friend and was to be treated with respect. Upon the Celestial's arrival William tried hard not to stare or look too curious and succeeded in being very quiet for some time, when, much to the surprise of his mother and the amusement of the Chinese, he called out, "Mamma, if he wasn't our friend wouldn't he be funny?"—Bellman.

Diving For Fish.

An Arab pilot on board an English ship bound in the Persian gulf had been amusing himself by diving for oysters. After several attempts his search proved unsuccessful.

"I will now," said he to the officers of the vessel he was commissioned to convoy, "since I cannot gather oysters, dive for and catch fish."

All ridiculed the idea. He went down again, and the officers were astonished to see him after a short time rise to the surface with a small rockfish in each hand. The Arab's own explanation of the feat was that as he seated himself at the bottom the fish came around him and nibbled at his skin. Watching an opportunity, he seized and secured his prey by thrusting his thumb and forefinger into their expanded gills.

A CROSS ON HIS BACK.

It Was Made With Chalk, but Was Too Heavy to Carry.

There is a story of an envious tailor current with the French peasantry. He fancied that his neighbor, who received a pension for the loss of an arm incurred while fighting for his country, was better off than himself. Both men went to pay their rent on the same day.

"That's a lucky man," said the tailor to the landlord. "He gets well paid for his arm."

"But who would be willing to part with an arm, even if he were paid for it?" said the landlord.

"I would," declared the tailor.

"You!" cried the landlord. "Why, man, you wouldn't be willing to bear anything of the sort, no matter how much you were paid for it."

"I wish some one would try me."

"Now, see here," said the landlord, who had studied human nature, "I'll tell you what, if you'll wear even so much as a chalk mark on your back I'll remit your rent as long as you wear it on your coat so it can be seen, the condition being that you tell no one why it is there."

"Agreed," said the tailor eagerly. "That's an easy way to pay rent."

So the chalk mark in the form of a cross was made on the back of his coat, and the delighted tailor sailed forth upon the street.

Strangers and acquaintances hailed him to tell him of the mark on his back. Jokes were made at his expense, children laughed and pointed at him, and his wife annoyed him with questions and with conjugal familiarity told him he was a fool. The usually amiable man grew surly and morose; he shunned men, women and children and frequented back streets. Before the week was up the tailor found himself embroiled in a quarrel with his best friend, his wife had threatened to leave his house, and he considered himself miserable and ill used.

Finally one night he took off his coat and rubbed out the chalk mark and said: "There! I would not wear that cross on my back another week, no, not if I could have all the money there is in Paris!"

ROBIN HOOD NOT A MYTH.

Hero of Sherwood Forest Had a Court Place Under King Edward II.

Many famous men have their names linked with Sherwood—King John, the three Edwards, Richard III., Cardinal Wolsey and Charles I.—but the hero of the place, the "genius loci," is Robin Hood.

Some think that the famous outlaw of the ballads was a myth, a mere poetic conception and a creature of the popular mind, but Mr. Hunter in his research into the person and period of Robin Hood holds that he was born between 1285 and 1295, living through the reign of the second Edward and into the early years of the third. He was of a family of some station seated near Wakefield and supported the Earl of Lancaster in his rebellion against the government. When the earl fell and his followers were proscribed Robin Hood took to the woods and supported himself by slaying the wild animals found in the forest and by levying a species of blackmail on passengers along the great road which united London and Berwick. This continued for about twenty months, from April, 1322, to December, 1323, when he fell into the king's power, who for some unknown reason not only pardoned him, but gave him a place at court. Anyhow, a man of the name of Robyn Hode was a "varlet" of the king in 1324.

Dr. Spencer T. Hall says that Robyn was created Earl of Huntington by a London ballad writer hard up for a word to rhyme to Little John. Be this as it may, Robin Hood will always be the hero of romance, and those who love romance will refuse to believe that he never existed.—London Globe.

Mansfield's Lonely Meals.

There were two meals which Mansfield always ate alone—breakfast and the light repast of broth and oysters late in the afternoon. An empty stomach attacked his nerves and set his temper on edge. In the morning he was in no convenient mood until he had the invariable coffee and bacon. After a somewhat rigid abstinence during the balance of the day and evening the fatigue of a performance edged his nerves till his midnight supper, which, with a troop of friends about him, warmed him into the sunniest humor of the day. A book or play was the companion of his solitary meals.—Paul Wilstach in Scribner's.

The Very First One.

The visitors in the historical museum gazed curiously at a small feather pillow which nestled in a glass case.

"I don't see anything unusual about that pillow," remarked one of the visitors, turning to the guide.

"It's a very valuable pillow," replied the guide. "That is Washington's original headquarters."—Lippincott's.

A Zoological Question.

The director of the zoological gardens was on his vacation. He received a note from his chief assistant, which closed thusly: "The chimpanzee seems to be pining for a companion. What shall we do until you return?"—St. Louis Republic.

Two Words.

"There are two words that I feel sorry for."

"And they are?"

"Blithering and egregious. Nobody ever uses 'em except to call some one an idiot or an ass."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

HANGING THE BABIES.

Whistler's Arrangement of the Pictures a Joke on the Artists.

Late in life, when people had begun to realize the genius of the man, Whistler was asked to arrange the annual Liverpool exhibition, and here, in his own words, is how he did it, according to Heinemann's "Life of Whistler."

"You know, the academy baby by the dozen had been sent in, and I got them all in my gallery, and in the center at one end I placed the birth of the baby—splendid and opposite the baby with the mustard pot and opposite that the baby with the puppy and in the center, on one side, the baby ill, doctor holding its pulse, mother weeping; on the other, by the door, the baby dead, the nun's funeral—baby from the cradle to the grave, baby in heaven, babies of all kinds and shapes all along the line, not crowded, you know, long with proper respect for the baby.

"And on the varnishing day in came the artists, each looking for his own baby, amazing! His baby on the line—nothing could be better! And they all shook my hand and thanked me—and went to look at the other men's babies, and they saw babies in front of them, babies behind them, babies to the right of them, babies to left of them. And they can know their faces fell, they didn't seem to like it—and well, for he, they never asked me to hang the pictures again at Liverpool!"

THE VENTRILOQUIST.

Only an Amateur, but His Exhibition Was a Success.

"I was one of a house party up the Thames," said an amateur ventriloquist. "Tea had been served in the garden, and after tea I consented to essay a little ventriloquism, and the fifty or sixty guests grew very still.

"Behind me rose a superb tree. Looking up into the thick foliage, I shouted in a loud and angry voice:

"'Hello! What are you doing up there?'

"To my amazement a thin young voice replied:

"'I ain't doin' no harm, mister. I'm just a watchin' the big bugs.'

"The guests glanced at one another, smiling appreciatively. Pulling myself together, I went on:

"'Did any one give you permission to climb up into that tree?'

"'Yes, sir. The second groom, sir. He's my cousin.'

"'Well,' said I, 'so far there's no harm done, but be careful not to fall, and don't let any one see you.'

"'All right, mister,' said the humble voice.

"I turned to my audience and smiled and bowed triumphantly. They broke into thunderous applause. They said that they had never listened to ventriloquism so superb. And they were quite right, too."—London Answers.

Rats' Cold Weather Retreat.

Many animals snuggle together for warmth in bitter weather, as the squirrels and the rats. Those who go ratting in hedges and dells in the winter know they may try a dozen freshly used burrows without finding a rat, when suddenly from a single hole the rats will come pouring out in a stream of frenzied fur. Twenty or more rats will lie together in one hole.

They are clever enough to block up a hole on the windward side to keep out the draft, so that when a rat hole is noted newly stopped with soil, turnip leaves or grass here is almost certain indication that rats are within. Like the squirrels, they store food for winter, and the keeper may find it more difficult to secure his potatoes from frost than from the attack of the most numerous of his furred foes.—London Standard.

A Rattled Bridegroom.

Some few years ago a man of mature age found himself playing first fiddle to marriage bells. Then they hied themselves away, as others have done, to Niagara Falls. He chuckled to himself as he took a pen to enter on a hotel register for the first time "John Doe and wife."

He thought he wrote with the easy air of one who had so written it there many years and turned carelessly away.

On leaving the proprietor inquired, "I hope you have enjoyed your honeymoon with us."

"Sir-r-r!" But he merely turned the register back and pointed to this entry, "John Doe and bride."

He had been as "rattled" as any boy.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Safest Employment.

The person who is least affected by trade depression and "slumps" in production is the peasant proprietor. So long as his acres produce corn, potatoes, peas, beans, fruit, milk and vegetables he is safe enough from hunger. His sheep will give wool, and homespun is excellent wear. His is the safe, primitive and elemental profession where a man lives close to the earth, the great mother.—Dublin Irish Homestead.

Hard Names.

"Calling names doesn't make any real difference," said the conservative campaigner.

"No," answered the scientist. "If it did those Latin titles we have bestowed on germs would have discouraged them long ago."—Washington Star.

Art For Art's Sake.

"I like to see a man take an interest in his work."

"So do I. I once knew a policeman who was so enthusiastic that it positively pained him to see anybody out of jail."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ADMIRABLE WORK.

What the Wisconsin Utilities Commission Has Done.

It Has Eliminated Politics, Feuds Between Corporations and Citizens and Discrimination In Rates—It Has Established Business Methods of Operation and Is Protecting Both the Consumer and the Investor.

By DR. B. H. MEYER, president of the railroad commission of Wisconsin.

The Wisconsin legislature has taken the utilities as good as it found them, out of politics. I do not believe that many citizens can be found in the state of Wisconsin who would seriously claim that in either the primary campaign or in the campaign preceding the present November elections the utilities as such had entered into politics. All students of municipal affairs well know that in this elimination of politics from the management of utilities we have removed one of the greatest and most persistent sources of corruption and bad government.

The utilities law tends to eliminate feuds between the citizens and the management of public and private plants. The law assures to all communities good service at reasonable rates. This is placed within the reach of all impartially, whether the commission advances or lowers the rate. The basis of its findings is published in every instance. These published facts should suffice to convince and I believe do convince the average citizen of the reasonableness and justice of the decision, if it is reasonable and just, and, whether he likes it or not, he must abide by that decision. In this respect cases affecting utilities are quite different from the most of the cases affecting railroads. In the case of utilities the controversy frequently degenerates into a bitter and partisan feud, affecting the entire population, which blinds both sides to a proper comprehension of the facts and to a sense of justice. Proceedings before the commission tend to clarify and educate public opinion.

The public utilities law raises the standard of morality through the eradication of the evil of discrimination and the protection of a reasonable rate. To those who are quite familiar with the past evils of discrimination in railway rates the extent of the discrimination in the rates in service utilities may be almost beyond comprehension. The whole state of Wisconsin was literally streaked and plastered with discriminations in the rates of utilities, and in all the rest of the country where the extent of such discriminations have not yet been determined, as they have been in Wisconsin, it is quite probable that discriminations similar in character and extent likewise exist. All rates, rules and regulations in effect in the state are on file with the commission, and these are the only rates and regulations which can be lawfully enforced and collected. Free and reduced rate service has been absolutely prohibited. Thousands of individuals had been receiving free and reduced rate service, and eradication of all such rates cannot help but serve as a moral tonic and raise the level of public and private morality within the state as a whole. For thirty-two of the reporting telephone companies eight of every hundred subscribers received free or reduced rate service. The process of equalization of rates had been going on for over a year. Consequently the actual extent of the unjust discrimination was doubtless very much greater at the time of the enactment of the law. I have every reason to believe that in every other state of the Union these discriminations still flourish at the expense of subscribers who pay the full rate. Similar discriminations exist in other classes of utilities.

The utilities law is working a revolution in business management. While some managements are doubtless models from a business point of view, they are not the general rule. Many of the utilities companies have not been operated on a business basis. In fact, it is probable that a good many of the managements did not have the remotest idea as to the exact standing from a business point of view of the plant they were operating. Uniform accounting, rules governing the service and the regulation of rates compel the adoption of business and scientific methods which are resulting in nothing short of a revolution in management.

All of the effects of the law, taken collectively, are bound to place investments in public utility enterprises on a more stable foundation. The law works both ways. On the one hand it protects the consumer against unjust and unreasonable rates and poor service, and on the other it protects the investor in his claim to a reasonable rate on the property which is devoted to public use. This legislation will probably remove public utility investments very greatly, if not entirely, from the field of speculation and place them in the class of conservative, certain and stable investments.

Hardly a Square Deal.

The Pittsburg board of trade has taken up the system of municipal water rates with a view of having them altered so that present injustices will be corrected. An instance was given of a mill having a single hydrant for drinking water and obtaining all the water used for mechanical purposes from its own wells, which was charged at $4,000 per year for the city service. One property owner declared that four of his warerooms in the downtown district were vacant, owing to excessive charges for water.—Public Service.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Town Clerk—George H Carter.
Town Treasurer—Thomas S Spurr.
Collector of Taxes—John G Hovey.
Auditor—William H Herrick.
Selectmen—James H Dwinell, Frank W Winn, Peter Walling, William D Richards, Frank E Barnard. Clerk, George H Lochman.
Assessors—Fred V Wooster, George H Carter, George W Payne.
Water and Sewer Board—Henry C Ordway, David N Skillings, Sanford D Leland.
Cemetery Commissioners—Samuel W Twombly, Henry J Winde, J H Dwinell, George P Brown, Charles A Gleason.
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Park Commissioners—Preston Pond, Jere A Lowes, Frank F Carpenter.
Board of Health—Frederick M Ives, William M Mason, Clarence J Allen.
School Committee—Albert F Blaisdell, Frederick H Mears, Arthur F Odlin.
Superintendent of Schools—Schuyler F Herron.
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Chief of Police—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Streets—James Hinds.
Water Registrar—Charles E Barrett.
Superintendent of Sewers—James Hinds.
Chief of Fire Department—Irving L Symmes.
Sealer of Weights and Measures—William R McIntosh.
Superintendent of Water Works—William T Dotten.
Constables—W R McIntosh, E F Maguire, James P Hargrove.
Inspector of Milk—A W Lombard.
Inspector of Animals—William Buckley.
Burial Agent of deceased soldiers and sailors—Edwin Robinson.
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Weighers of Coal—Benjamin T Morgan, Justin L Parker, John D Coakley, A J Premont.
Registrar of Voters—John T Cosgrove, Emmons Hatch, James H Roach.

Boston & Northern St. Ry. Co. Time Table.

Woburn Division.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square Terminal at 5.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal at 6.17 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford at 6.23, 6.38 a.m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 5.54 a. m. then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Winchester for Sullivan Square at 6.54, 7.24, 7.54 8.24, 8.54, 9.24 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 9.54 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 11.24 p m.

RETURNING.

Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Louisa H. Draper, late of Winchester, in said County deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by George A. Draper, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of March, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. McINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Seymour W. Stevens of Winchester to the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts to the East Cambridge Savings Bank, dated September 11th, 1899, and recorded in the South District Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, Libre 2704, folio 446, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage will be sold at public auction, on the premises,

On Tuesday the thirtieth day of March, 1909, at four o'clock, in the afternoon,

all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely—

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Winchester and being the lot numbered seventy-three (73) and a portion of the lot numbered sixty-nine (69) as shown on a plan of lots drawn by G. E. Harthorne dated May 25, 1891 and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds in Book of Plans No. 70, Plan 48 and bounded and described as follows viz.: southeasterly by Florence street eighty feet, southwesterly by Harvard street fifty-five feet, northwesterly by a line parallel with said Florence street eighty feet and northeasterly in part by lot sixty-eight (68) and lot seventy-two on said plan of fifty-five feet.

Containing 4400 square feet. Subject to the restrictions mentioned in said mortgage and to all unpaid taxes and assessments if any there be.

$200 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

THE EAST CAMBRIDGE SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.
By WM. E. LLOYD, Treasurer.

March 4th, 1909.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address)

ANNE D. B. UNDERWOOD, Executrix.

Central Street, Winchester, Mass.
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SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY—Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER—Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday.) Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine house.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school days; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Box 5. Wildwood St., opp. Woodside road.
7. Central Fire Station.
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13. Winchester Manufacturing Co.
14. Bacon street, opp. Lakeview road.
15. McKay. (Private.)
21. Main street, opp. Young & Brown's.
23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24. Mt. Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37. Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Holland street.
41. Lake street, cor. Main street.
42. Beggs & Cobb Tannery. (Private).
43. Main street, cor. Salem street.
44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Columbian Lodge I. O. O. F. paid Waterfield Lodge a visit on Monday evening. There were present 150 to see the first degree conferred by Columbian Lodge and after the degree work speeches were made by several of the visiting brothers, after which all adjourned to the banquet hall where a bountiful spread was partaken of. There were brothers from Virginia, New York, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Hampshire, Boston and suburban towns.

Mr. Arthur A. Kidder of Everett avenue has purchased a handsome Cadillac.

The Winchester Electrical Co., has been awarded the contract for wiring the State Hospital at North Reading.

A model factory building has been erected by the Lightning Hose & Coupling Co., on Winchester Park street. This is a fine appearing cement building, and the interior of the shop is arranged in the most improved way to get the best manufacturing results. The machinery will be operated by two 2-horse power and one 1-horse power electric motors. The electricity will be furnished by the Edison Co.

At Woburn Unitarian Vesper, 4.45 p. m., Sunday, March 21, being the birthday (1685) of Bach the great church musician, Mr. Lewis will play, with other organ selections, the celebrated Fantasie and Fugue in g minor, which he studied with the organist of the Bach historic Thomaskirche in Leipzig.

The Park police are enforcing the vote of the town prohibiting fishing in the reservoirs.

Dr. Grant is witty, brilliant, earnest and convincing. Disagree with him—dislike him if you will—but you cannot afford to miss hearing this great lecturer, March 24, Town Hall, under the auspices of The Fortnightly.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Increased business has necessitated enlarging the STAR Office, another room having been taken in Lyceum building. Last week a Colt Armory Universal press of the largest size was added to our commercial printing department.

Mr. Jere A. Downs has purchased a Lancia chassis. He is having a runabout body made at Sargent & Ham's factory.

Did you see the whale? Saturday was certainly Winchester day at Otis Wharf.

James Ireland spent last week at Norwood, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howe.

Mrs. Jotham Woods is to take charge of a new Sunday school class to be formed at the First Congregational Church composed of ladies above twenty years of age.

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The following have appeared before the Prudential Committee to unite with First Baptist Church: Gertrude Elizabeth Lingham, Alice Blanche Romkey, Clarissa Adelaide Kidder, Marguerite Waldmyer, Catherine Mahala Binns, Wesley Franklin Ewell, George Howard Morse, Harold Williamson Ryan, James Leslie Johnston, George Warren Johnston, John Henry Wishman, Albert Edward Pratt and Helen Elmira Davis.

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Mr. William J. Dotton returned Monday from New York, where he has been spending two weeks.

The Annual May Party given by the Ladies' Friendly Society is again in progress, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Charles T. Whitten. Miss Martha Langley will have full charge of the dances.

Because of the enthusiasm Dr. Roland D. Grant created by his talk before The Fortnightly, at its last meeting, he has been engaged to lecture in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening, March 23rd. Subject: "Trees of Eden or Snakes in Paradise." Tickets 50 cents.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary met Tuesday at Mrs. Eben Caldwell's, Mt. Pleasant street. It was an all day meeting and fifteen members attended. Among other subjects discussed was what disposition should be made of the $1500 now in the bank belonging to the Auxiliary. It had been proposed at a previous meeting to donate this money for a special object in connection with the new Winchester hospital, but it has been ascertained—from legal advice—that as this fund was created toward a new Y. M. C. A. building in Winchester, it could not be used for any other purpose. As there is no prospect of any such building, the money will remain on deposit for the present. The next meeting will occur in May at the home of Mrs. E. L. Dunning on Winthrop street.

Newspaper reports are indicating that the season of many fires is again on. How about that insurance? George Adams Woods.

Mr. T. F. Kelley of Wilson street is ill with tonsilitis as is also his daughter, Miss Bessie, and the youngest daughter is ill with laryngitis.

Three weeks, ladies, and Easter will be here, ample time in which to get accustomed to this season's unusual styles in millinery and make a satisfactory selection at Dru's, one hundred and twenty Tremont street, Boston.

The annual Roll Call of the Second Congregational Church, which was organized on March 13, 1906, was held on March 12, and proved a very pleasant though informal occasion. Rev. C. A. S. Dwight, the pastor, and Mr. C. S. McGown made addresses, Mrs. Margaret J. Claflin recited two selections, and Miss Daisy MacLellan sang several times. Light refreshments were served. As the roll was called each member present responded with a verse of Scripture or an appropriate selection, which was followed by singing of the hymn, "When the roll is called up yonder I'll be there!" The membership of the Second Church, which started with 54 members, is now 89.

Wakefield is wrestling with the problem as to what shall it do with its electric light plant. A committee of nine citizens, after investigation, recommended that the town make a contract with the Malden Electric Light Co. for five years. This not meeting the approval of all the citizens, a second committee was appointed to further investigate.

John Dunnigan, while at work at the Beggs and Cobb tannery, last week, fell and fractured two ribs. He was taken to his home in Woburn.

Mr. Fred Rhoades of Short Hills, N. J., is expected on to spend Sunday with his father, Mr. John B. Rhoades of Church street.

Mr. Henry Winde is contemplating his annual southern trip and will soon go.

The following ladies of the First Congregational Church have consented to serve as assistants for the special Children's Church Service during the Lenten season: Mrs. S. Winchester Adriance, Miss Bertha Bagley, Mrs. George S. Cabot, Mrs. Carrie F. Fay, Mrs. A. B. Grover, Mrs. George H. Hamilton, Mrs. William A. Lefavour, Miss Marion McG. Noyes, Miss Katherine F. Pond, Miss Florence C. Park, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Richardson, Mrs. Harrison Parker.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cotter returned home Thursday morning from a trip to N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cleveland have returned from the South, where they went for Mr. Cleveland's health. Mr. Cleveland is much improved and benefitted by the change.

Miss Sanborn's Tuesday Class had its closing lesson this week. Each pupil invited a guest and as favors and candy were used in the Germans it was a very attractive party. The matrons for this class were Mrs. John Abbott, Mrs. A. S. Higgins, Mrs. William Keyes, Mrs. Henry L. Houghton and Mrs. Wendell M. Weston.

Lyceum Hall was fumigated on Wednesday afternoon.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Marian Gray has returned from a stay of several months in Canada.

Henry Lyons of this town has been challenged by Michael Connolly of Woburn to play a match game of pool to settle the championship of that city. Mr. Lyons is anxious for the game, he says, but will wait until the present tournament between the Woburn and Winchester Councils, K. of C. is finished before he arranges the details of a match with Mr. Connolly. This will probably occur in about three weeks.

Dr. Cummings is confined to his bed with grippe.

Miss Jeannette Stewart of Washington street is ill with grippe.

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Mrs. Edgar M. Young of Glen road, has cards out for a tea and musical at the Vendome, Boston, April 1.

The Woman's Guild met Tuesday at Mrs. Anthony Kelley's on Fletcher street. About 50 attended and listened to a very interesting lecture about Alaska by Miss Wood. Mrs. Kelley was assisted at the tea by Mrs. Herbert Kelley, Miss Marian Gray, Miss Elizabeth Kendall and Mrs. W. C. Brown. The next meeting will be at Mrs. John Page's on Everett avenue.

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LIGHTING CONTRACT.

Report of Special Committee on Electric Lighting.

Favor Making a Ten Year Contract with the Edison Company.

Winchester, Mass., March 23, 1909.

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF WINCHESTER:

The committee appointed at the session of the current annual meeting held on the eighth day of March, 1909, to consider the question of a contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, desires to make the following report. In order that the town may act intelligently in this matter, it has seemed wise to the committee to state briefly the history of the controversy which has arisen between the town and the Edison Company.

The one-year contract which the town formerly had with the company expired on the first day of July, 1907. At a special town meeting held on that day Article 5 of the warrant calling the meeting read as follows:

> Article 5. To see if the town will appoint a committee to investigate the question of entering into a long term contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for furnishing electric light to the town, said committee to make a report (in print) of its findings and recommendations at the next annual town meeting.

Under this Article it was

> Voted, "that a committee of five be appointed by the moderator to investigate the question of entering into a long term contract with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company for furnishing electric light to the town, said committee to make a report in print of its findings and recommendations at the next annual town meeting."

It was also

> Voted, "that the committee appointed under Article 5 is authorized to investigate the question of entering into a long term contract, in addition to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, with any other illuminating company. The said committee shall have power to fill vacancies caused in its membership."

The committee appointed consisted of Arthur W. Hale, William D. Richards, Howard D. Nash, Charles E. Barrett, and John L. Ayer.

Prior to the annual town meeting held in March, 1908, to which meeting, by the terms of the foregoing vote, the above named committee was to report, and while the committee was still engaged in making its investigations, the town, at a special meeting held on the sixth day of January, 1908, under Article 6 of the warrant, which read as follows:

> Article 6. To see what action the town will take regarding its street lighting contract or agreement with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company;
>
> Voted, that the Board of Selectmen be and hereby is requested to petition the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners to reduce the price of street lights in this town furnished by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, the reduction to apply from July 1, 1907.

It appears, therefore, that before the town had ascertained, through its special committee, whether it had a good cause for complaint or not, it voted to make a complaint against the Edison Company, basing its complaint upon the proposition that, inasmuch as the company had offered to make a discount of twenty per cent to the town of Arlington from the price which was offered to the town of Winchester, in consideration of the fact that the contract made by the town of Arlington with the company covered a period of twenty years, such action in and of itself constituted an admission by the company that the price charged to the town of Winchester was too high, that there was no good and justifiable reason why Winchester should not have the same price as the town of Arlington without being required to enter into a twenty-year contract with the company, or, indeed, without being obliged to enter into any long term contract.

In compliance with the vote of the town the Selectmen filed a petition with the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners on the twenty-second day of January, 1908. Notice was given to the company of the filing of this petition and a hearing was held before the Board on the twentieth day of February, 1908, at which hearing the situation was laid formally and fully before the Commissioners by evidence and argument of counsel. The Commissioners under date of June 30, 1908, issued a long opinion in writing expressing their views upon the situation. This opinion was printed in full in the Winchester STAR and is undoubtedly reasonably familiar to most of the voters of the town. To summarize, however, the material portions of the decision we quote the following paragraphs from it:

> "The petitioners contended that the company by its contract with Arlington and its offer of a twenty year contract to Winchester at a discount of 20 per cent below the prices heretofore charged to Winchester has admitted that the prices named in the Arlington contract are fair and reasonably remunerative, that Winchester without any contract, or in any event without a contract in excess of one year, is entitled to the same prices; and that a refusal to give Winchester the same prices, save upon the condition of a twenty year contract, amounts to an unreasonable and unlawful discrimination. The company on the other hand contended that a discount such as was made to Arlington and offered to Winchester for a twenty year contract is not only proper, in view of the circumstances, but is reasonable and lawful. It was agreed that there is no difference in the physical conditions surrounding the supply of street lights in the towns of Arlington and Winchester which justify a difference in price. It is clear that the Board has no authority to order a reduction of price conditional upon the town's making with the company a long term contract or indeed any express contract for the supply of its street lights. The company is bound to serve the town and the town is bound to pay the company no more than reasonable compensation for the service rendered. The purpose of the legislature in giving the Board authority upon complaint to reduce the price of electric light sold and delivered by a company, seems plainly to be to fix the price at which the company is bound to serve its customers in any event and without express agreements in relation thereto . . . . . With respect to the claim of the town that in the prices made to Arlington the company has admitted and demonstrated the fair value of its street light service to Winchester and that, in the absence of any controlling evidence offered by the company, the Board should order the company to reduce its prices to Winchester to the Arlington level, it is to be remembered that the company is supplying street lights in twenty-three municipalities. If the company has made a conclusive admission as to the fair value of its service to Winchester, it has made an equally conclusive admission with respect to all of the other municipalities served. While it may be conceded that prices made to Arlington are competent evidence as tending to show that the prices charged Winchester are too high, yet the Board is of the opinion that such evidence alone should not determine the real issue in this case, namely, the fair and reasonable price for street lights in Winchester . . . . . It may be conceded that the considerations already set forth have a bearing and should be given due weight in determining the real issue in this case. But it is clear that there are many other facts and considerations of more vital importance to a correct determination of this issue, and it is difficult to assume that either party desired the question of a reasonable price to be finally decided by the Board without a further presentation of matters relevant to such an issue. The Board believes that the interests of both parties and perhaps of other municipalities besides Winchester require that a final decision should not be made without a thorough investigation of the question upon its merits independently of the prices made to Arlington and offered to other municipalities in making long term contracts. It is therefore—
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> Voted, that the case may be reopened for hearing such further evidence and arguments as either party may desire to present relative to the fair price for street lights in Winchester, provided, the town shall request such reopening within sixty days from the date hereof, and if the town shall not request such a reopening within such time, then that the complaint shall be dismissed without prejudice to another application for a reduction in price upon grounds other than those relied on at this hearing."

In accordance with the terms of the vote of the Board the Selectmen asked to have the matter reopened for further argument upon the question of a fair and reasonable price to be paid by the town of Winchester. The matter was then again taken up by the special committee and the Board of Selectmen sitting jointly, and after canvassing the situation it was decided to request the Commissioners to investigate the question and fix a price for the town, based upon such facts as should be discovered by them, no authority having been given either to the Selectmen or to the special committee to hire experts or others competent to investigate the situation and testify as to the results obtained thereby before the Commissioners.

Accordingly, such a request was presented to the Commissioners in writing but no action has yet been taken by them other than to state that a public hearing will be necessary and that the time required to make such an investigation as is requested is very uncertain.

It seems to be established beyond any question that the town cannot expect to obtain from the Commissioners any price which will equal the price now given to Arlington and such other towns as have entered into a long term contract with the Edison Company without entering upon a contract of equal length, and it is doubtful if any substantial reduction can be obtained from the Commissioners acting independently and without the assistance of expert evidence. Such evidence cannot be obtained from competent authorities on electrical matters without great expense. Your committee believes that the town would be unwilling to enter upon such an expenditure at the present time.

Beginning with the first day of March, 1908, the Selectmen caused to be deducted from the monthly statements rendered by the Edison Company for light furnished twenty per cent of the amount charged, that percentage representing the amount which the Selectmen felt was in excess of a fair and reasonable charge to the town for light furnished, and checks have been sent monthly from that time to the present by the town for these smaller amounts, so that as appears by the account rendered on February 1, 1909, there had been withheld in the way stated the sum of $2017.84, which amount is claimed to be due from the town by the company and demands for the payment of which have now become peremptory in tone.

Since this question was agitated, indeed, since the hearing upon the town's petition by the Commissioners, rates and conditions have so changed that the town is now obtaining more and better light for less price than that which it originally asked for to place it on the same footing with Arlington, and the town of Arlington has now practically abandoned the schedule of prices named in its twenty-year contract with the company. Under the terms of the twenty-year contract, which was offered to the town by the company, it was provided that once in three years, but not oftener, if either party to the contract desired to make complaint to the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners that the rates were excessive or unfair, such petition might be presented and the prices established by the Commissioners should be the rates to govern under the contract. In the contract, which is now offered to the town by the company for a period of ten years, it is expressly provided that the execution of this contract shall in no way interfere with the right of the town at any time to complain to the Commissioners and ask to have a lower rate established. It is also agreed that this contract shall date back to the first day of March, 1908, so that the town will get the benefit of a large portion, if not the whole, of the sum which has been withheld up to date, as stated above.

Without undertaking to set forth the terms and conditions in full of the contract which is now offered to the town, the committee is of the opinion that it is to the advantage of the town to make this contract with the company, and will offer a vote under the proper article in the warrant authorizing the Selectmen to make a contract with the company for a period of time not exceeding ten years upon such terms and conditions as will in their opinion best serve the interests of the town of Winchester.

Thereafter if the voters believe at any time that the rates charged are unreasonable the Selectmen can file a complaint under the statute and obtain from the Commissioners a reduction of them, but such a complaint when filed should be supported by evidence of the most substantial character.

The committee regrets that Messrs. Ayer and Barrett have been unable to participate in its meetings, the former because of absence from town, the latter by reason of sickness.

Respectfully submitted by

JAMES H. DWINELL,

In behalf of committee.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.

At the annual church supper which was held a week ago, in the vestry, reports were read by the presidents of each of the societies. All reported a steady advance in all departments. Mrs. Robie spoke for the Ladies Aid, Mrs. Chaffee for the Junior League, Superintendent Fenimore for the Sunday School, and in the absence of Mr. Davidson, the pastor spoke in behalf of the Epworth League. These reported all bills paid.

At the close of the reading of reports, the subject of finance was taken up. Last year's accounts were quickly closed up and it now looks bright for the coming year. Nelson Seelye and R. M. Armstrong were in charge of this part of the evening's program.

The report of the pastor was carefully worked out, and gave a most comprehensive statement for the year, touching upon all the various branches of church work. No small part of the increase in membership during the last year, is due to the eternal vigilance of Mr. and Mrs. Chaffee.

Miss Edna Johnson, who was in charge of the supper, was given a rising vote of thanks, for the delightful supper, and the very efficient way in which it was served.

Seldom have we seen a better feeling pervading the church.

All are pleased with the steady growth of the Men's class for Bible study under the leadership of Mr. Leon E. Crouch.

Last Sunday twenty men were enrolled and some who could not attend last Sunday have stated that they should be present next week.

Whether the lesson is finished or not we close at one o'clock.

W. H. S. NOTES.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association on Thursday it was voted to give the members of the basket ball team their suits which were used during the season just past.

Sheridan resigned the captaincy of the track team because of other duties.

The Sophmore girls won the basket ball cup Wednesday afternoon by defeating the Junior girls in a close and hard fought game by the score of 13 to 1. This makes the second year that 1911 claims the cup. Between the halves the seniors defeated the freshmen 11 to 9.

Don't miss "Lend Me Five Shillings" which is to be given by the High School Athletic Association in the Town Hall, April 16, at eight o'clock. Dancing afterwards until twelve. Tickets may be procured by applying to H. A. Collins of the High School. After April 7th, they will be on sale at Abare's Drug store.

The baseball team is having daily practice on Manchester Field, and although the squad is rather small some good material has already been found.

THE FORTNIGHTLY.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Fortnightly last Monday. Notice was given of the lecture by Dr. Roland Grant to be given Thursday evening, March 25, and also the entertainment by the Dorothea Dix Children, Saturday afternoon March 27 in Town Hall.

It was also announced that on Saturday, April 24, Miss Chamberlain will give "The Servant in the House."

It was voted that a committee of five be appointed to revise the constitution and bylaws and report at the next meeting.

A nominating committee was chosen to nominate officers and chairmen of committees to be elected at the annual meeting. The ladies of the committee are Miss Maud Folts, Mrs. Mary E. Smith, Mrs. Grace Stone, Mrs. Louise Belcher and Mrs. Littlefield. They will report on the last meeting in April.

STORAGE WAREHOUSE.

People who desire to store their valuable bric-a-brac and furniture are now assured of one of the best in this vicinity in the new and massive brick building erected by Kelley & Hawes on Park street.

This depository is fire proof and dust proof and free from many of the usual objections of the average so-called storage warehouses. It was erected solely for storage purposes by an experienced architect, and is divided into private rooms, so that complete seclusion is assured to all customers.

This firm also make a specialty of moving household furniture, pianos, pack and ship goods, move safes and heavy freight and baggage. They also furnish packing cases, burlap, paper, etc.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The postponement of a game to next Wednesday leaves the bowling tournament at the Calumet club as yet unfinished.

Did you have a cigar on Abare this week?

Joseph, the five months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Telesphore Lucien, of Montreal, Canada, died at the home of Mrs. Lucien's mother, Mrs. Larravee of Thompson street on Tuesday. The child died during a visit of its mother here. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon. The burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

This Saturday afternoon the children from Dorothea Dix Hall will give a concert for the benefit of the vacation playroom. A very interesting program has been arranged.

Mr. George C. Ogden has sold the cement house recently built by him at the corner of Bacon street and Ogden avenue, to Mr. Holland of Somerville. The house No. 8 Ogden avenue, also erected by the same gentleman, has been sold to Mr. Philip Bourne of Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goffe of Lloyd street returned from a three weeks stay at Pinehurst this week.

Mrs. Sewell Newman and daughter Margaret are visiting friends and relatives in New Jersey and New York.

Mrs. Joseph Bubier, formerly of Winches, was a guest of friends here this week.

Mr. Lewis' short organ recital Sunday, March 28, at 4.45, preceding vesper service, in Woburn Unitarian Church, will consist of selections from Saint Saens the eminent modern French musician.

Plans are under way for union services of our churches, at the First Congregational Church, on Good Friday, when "The Seven Last Words," by Dubois, will be rendered.

A large delegation from Winchester went to Woburn Tuesday evening to attend the evangelistic services at the First Congregational Church. The visitors occupied the gallery.

Mr. E. B. Horne has a new Maxwell runabout.

Mrs. Hoyt of Reservoir street returned Tuesday from Whittier, N. H., where she had been attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Clarke. The body was brought to Lawrence for burial.

The cottage prayer meeting held at the home of Mr. Carrns on Clematis street this week was well attended and led by Rev. Mr. Chaffee.

The office of Sewall E. Newman reports the sale of No. 35 Church street to Mrs. James Hinds, for the Elizabeth Chapin estate. The property contains about 9000 feet of land together with a 10 room house and stable.

Mrs. Henry Abbott and Mrs. William Grainger of Swanzey, N. H., are guests of Mrs. T. E. Thompson and Mrs. Moody of Washington street.

Mrs. J. F. Dorsey who recently underwent an operation at a hospital is at her home on Brimmer street, and is improving and much stronger.

Miss Louise Taylor spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at Lynn.

The Womans Foreign Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon in the vestry of the Congregational church. Study Subject —"Siam." There were map exercise by Miss Grace Herrick and Miss Marguerite Barr. Mrs. S. W. Adriance spoke of the Siamese Appeal to America and its response and Miss Ella M. Towle of Ann Hazeltine Judson's work for the Siamese, the Baptist Presbyterian Missions also the open door in Siam.

Mr. Fay of Copley street has been spending a few days at Jaffrey, N. H.

The fire in the Methodist church, Stoneham, Wednesday afternoon has started comment on the best method of fighting that particular fire. One of Woburn's firefighter gives the credit to the Winchester department, as that company fought from the roof of the church, which was the only point of vantage to reach the fire and do effectual work. It is well to know that Winchester keeps up its good reputation of being on the job when there is a fire of some consequence. It makes Woburn feel comfortable to know that our neighbors are so well equipped with apparatus and the men to do the work when needed.—Woburn Times.

Mr. Preston Currier is visiting in Washington, D. C., for a few weeks.

Mrs. Samuel Davis of Myrtle street, mother of Mrs. John Blank, who has been ill with bronchitis for several weeks is much improved.

Mrs. Irving Clark is at a Boston hospital for an operation.

Mrs. Anthony Kelley of Fletcher street is visiting relatives in Vermont.

Mr. John Challis had a dog poisoned this week. This is becoming prevalent on the west side of the town.

Mrs. James Winn of Fairview Place left last week for a visit to her daughter Helen, at Buffalo, N. Y.

WOBURN-WINCHESTER SERIES A TIE.

In the fifth match in the series of games between the Winchester and Woburn Councils, Knights of Columbus, of last evening was a tie. Winchester is still two points ahead in the tournament. Following are the results:

Cribbage

Winchester		Woburn	
Foley, Holland	1	Callahan, Costello	3
J. Sullivan, F. Sullivan	1	Looney, Harkins	3

Whist

Winchester		Woburn	
Maguire, Murphy	24	Meehan, McPartlin	31
P. Glendon, Shea	24	Connolly, Aylward	20

Forty-Fives

Winchester		Woburn	
Dr. O'Connor, O'Melia	13	Dr. Breslin, Mahoney	8
Lynch, Haley	13	McGrath, Coughlin	10

Checkers

Winchester	Woburn
McDonald 1	Kennedy 3
Lyons 1	Beatty 3

Pool

Winchester	Woburn
Dowd 60	Garvey 51
Lyons 60	Hearn 59

Winchester Council 5

Woburn Council 5

MRS. DOROTHY A. WETHERBEE.

Mrs. Dorothy Ann Wetherbee, widow of the late Otis Wetherbee, and next to the oldest resident in Winchester, died at her home on Washington street on Wednesday. She was in her 91st year, and had made her home in this town for about 40 years. Her husband, who was formerly in the employ of Cook & Aldrich of Boston, died about 20 years ago.

Mrs. Wetherbee was born in Swanzey, N. H., her parents being Phineas and Dorothy Stone. She was a sister of the late Joseph and Henry Stone. One son survives her: Frank W., of Grand Forks, North Dakota. Mrs. Wetherbee had suffered two shocks recently, and her death was caused by a third shock which came on Sunday night. She was a member of the Congregational Church of many years standing, having joined in 1858. Besides being the second oldest person in Winchester who was the oldest person born in Swanzey, N. H.

The funeral services will be held from her late home on Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

CZERWONKY TO PLAY AGAIN

It will be good news to those who were privileged to hear Mr. Richard Czerwonky at the Musical Service at the Unitarian Church on February 28th, that he has been engaged to play again at the closing service in the series, which is to be held on the evening of Palm Sunday, April 4th. Mrs. Gertrude Miller Woodruff, soprano, has also been engaged to sing at that Service, the whole to be again under the direction of Mr. Joshua Phippen, who will play both solos and accompaniments on the organ. Mr. Phippen is a musician of whom Winchester is justly proud. Mr. Czerwonky needs no introduction to the musically wise, especially after his masterful performance at the previous service. Mrs. Woodruff has been for a number of years the Soprano at Second Church, Boston, and at the Nahant Church in the summers.

A full program of the service, to which the public is cordially invited, will appear in our next number.

PUBLIC DAY IN THE WINCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.

Tuesday, March 30, will be Public Day in the Winchester High School. The program will be the same as usual except that the Rev. John R. Chaffee, pastor of the Methodist Church will give an address on Joan of Arc at 10.15 a. m. This is one of the series of entertainments arranged by Principal Lovering for this school year.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the work of the High School to be present for as much of the day as may be convenient and it is hoped that many may come.

Parents and pupils who live on the west side of the town will be glad to know that hereafter the noon-school signal, if given at all, will be sounded by the whistle of the Bacon Felt Co.'s establishment as well as by the Fire Alarm and the whistle at Beggs's and Cobb's Tannery. This arrangement has been made by the courtesy of Charles F. Bacon and will doubtless enable everyone in town to know when schools will not be in session. The signal, as heretofore, will be 3-3-3 three times at 7.50 a. m. for no school in the forenoon and at 12.50 p. m. for no school in the afternoon.

LOVING CUP FOR WINCHESTER MAN.

Jay B. Benton, of Winchester, city editor of the Boston Transcript was made the recipient of a handsome silver loving cup a few days ago. The presentation was made on the occasion of the annual dinner of the Disciples of Hiram, a club made up of the members of the staff of the Boston Transcript who are Masons and of which Mr. Benton was the retiring president. The dinner was served at the United States Hotel and about fifty members and friends enjoyed the occasion.

In the midst of the exercises Edwin S. Crandon, the financial editor of the Transcript, made a brief turn in his remarks, turned to pleasing personalities and praise of the president, and drew from underneath the table the handsome loving cup, appropriately inscribed. The gift came as a complete surprise to Mr. Benton, but he responded in appreciation of the gift. He also received a large bouquet of Killarney roses from a group of the visitors from the Massachusetts Consistory, of which his brother, Col. Everett C. Benton, is commander-in-chief.

A number of distinguished Masons were present at the dinner out of compliment to the Transcript men, and among the speakers were J. Albert Blake, past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Thomas W. Davis, grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, Eugene A. Holton, past commander-in-chief of Massachusetts Consistory, Henry M. Fisher, past commander-in-chief of Massachusetts Consistory, Rev. R. Perry Bush of Chelsea, Col. E. C. Benton, grand master of the grand council, Royal and Select Masters, Edwin S. Crandon, past grand master of the Grand Council, Royal and Select Masters, George C. Thacher, thrice illustrious commander of Boston Council, H. A. Schaefer, president of the Harvard Masonic Club, Judd D. Dewey, secretary of the Harvard Masonic Club, and Frank L. Welt of Melrose, who succeeds Mr. Benton as president of the Disciples of Hiram.

The members of the Weber Quartette were present and added greatly to the pleasure of the dinner by their singing of several selections.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The next meeting of the Union will be held Friday, April 2, one week earlier than usual, the regular date falling on Good Friday. It will be a sewing meeting in order to finish the articles for the sale Easter week and will be held at the home of Mrs. Newth, 15 Park Avenue. Members and friends are asked to come early and bring thimbles. Business meeting at three o'clock.

Last Friday the county executive meeting was held in Medford. This consists of the presidents of the local unions and the superintendents of departments. Each president was asked to tell what the best work of her union has been. At the afternoon meeting, which was public, Mrs. Hamilton, president of the Winchester Union, was one of the few asked to repeat these reports for the benefit of the larger audience.

A portion of the meeting was devoted to the memory of Mrs. Abby Saxe, for twenty-four years secretary of the county. Her place for the remainder of the year was filled by the election of Mrs. Augusta D. Bigham of Medford, state superintendent of fairs and open air meetings.

Members of the local union who wish to contribute to the Easter box for the flower mission may send articles to Mrs. F. B. Tracy, 16 Mystic Ave. Delicacies of any kind that can be sent by express or money will be acceptable.

JOHN LYNCH ESCAPED SERIOUS INJURY.

John Lynch of Winchester, had a miraculous escape Sunday afternoon, while working along the railroad between Cross and Conn streets. The 3.02 express from Concord, N. H., was thundering along on its way to Boston when in some manner it struck Lynch and pitched him to the side of the tracks. The engineer stopped the train, but before any one could go to his assistance, Lynch jumped up and hurried away.

He went to a secluded spot on a hill off Cross street, where he rested for some time. Patrolmen Boutwell and Walsh who heard of the accident went looking for him. Evidently Lynch saw them coming for before they came within speaking distance he was on his feet again and hurried toward his home in Winchester.—Woburn Times.

The Evangelistic services at Woburn are reported not to have been as successful as those recently held here. Winchester was particularly fortunate in its able corps of workers under the able leadership of Rev. Frederick S. Osgood who labored day and night that the services might be productive of the greatest good. Another drawback to the Woburn series of meetings, it is said, was publicity. This is a very important factor in achieving success these days.

For Easter booklets, place cards and postals go to Wilson the Stationer's.

SELECTMEN'S MEETING.

March 22, 1909.

Board met at 7.30 p. m. All present.

Received and approved bonds of John G. Hovey for $20,000 as Collector of Taxes, and for $1000 as Town Clerk, in the Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Company.

Voted, to write Aetna Indemnity Co. that bond of John G. Hovey, Collector of Taxes had been taken out in another company for municipal year of 1909.

Received and placed on file bond of James P. Hargrove for $1000 as constable, signed by Charlotte A. McIntosh and W. T. Dotten.

Voted, to grant free use of the Town Hall for the Winchester High School Athletic Association Friday evening, April 16 next, as requested by Supt. of Schools Herron.

Received and placed on file letter from The Fortnightly Club in regard to use of Town Hall.

Application for Intelligence Office license from Mrs. Helen L. Middleton at 7 Church street. Referred to Chief of Police to investigate and report.

On petition of Herbert Nash and E. K. Boynton, Trustees Winchester Land associates, Series A, for the laying out and acceptance of the street known as Foxcroft road from Warren street to Cambridge street, a distance of about 1380 feet; also, Wedgemere avenue, from Foxcroft road to Calumet road, a distance of about 675 feet. It was voted to hold a hearing on same Monday evening, April 5th, next, at 8 o'clock.

Received and placed on file letter from George Adams Woods in regard to insurance on Town Stable.

Voted, to grant permission to Edison Co., to relocate one pole on Everett avenue in front of Mr. Gerlach's house, subject to approval of Town Engineer.

Letter received from L. R. Wallis asking for repairs to his sidewalk on Bacon street. Referred to the Supt. of Streets to do.

Letter from the Auto List Department. Referred to Chief of Police.

Voted, to grant a hackney carriage license to W. O. Blaisdell for one year on payment of the usual fee of $1.

Voted, that the matter of purchasing tools for the highway department be referred to Mr. Richards.

Warrants drawn for $1233.62, and $705.10.

Adjourned at 10.30 p. m.

George H. Lochman, Clerk.

PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY.

Bishop Lawrence will preach at the service this afternoon at 5 o'clock, when he comes to minister the rite of Confirmation.

There will be service Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock with special intercessions.

Sunday there will be service of the Holy Communion at 8 o'clock in addition to services at 10.30 and 5.

Next week there will be service every day at 5 o'clock.

At the service next Wednesday at 5 o'clock the volunteer choir will sing and the Rev. Frederic Palmer of Andover will preach.

Next Friday at the church at 4.15 p. m. the rector desires to meet those who have been confirmed. He will give at that time an address upon the Holy Communion and is especially asking to this service and to that immediately following at 5 o'clock, those who have been confirmed within the last two or three years. All communicants will be welcome.

The people of the parish are asked to note in the card of Lenten services, the arrangements for Holy Week and Easter, and try to plan to make the best use of the services that week.

It is hoped that all the communicants of the parish will be able to be present Easter Day either at 7 or at 10.30.

The time appointed for Baptisms is Easter Even, Saturday, April 10th, at 4 o'clock.

The offerings Easter Day will be devoted to the Parish House Fund unless specially designated for other purposes.

Those who wish to make special offerings of flowers as memorials for the Easter service, are requested to inform the chairman of the St. Cross Committee, Miss Lawrence, 7 Rangeley.

The Epiphany Circle will meet next Monday, March 29, at 3.30 p. m. at the choir room.

The Woman's Guild will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday at 2.45, at Mrs. John Page's on Everett avenue. The speaker is to be Mr. G. Loring Briggs, Manager of the Floating Hospital.

The printer's error crept into the last page of the Lenten card. The last service on Good Friday is to be at 8 p. m., not 5, and the service Easter Even will be at 5. The members of the parish are asked to make this correction.

The Guild of the Epiphany will meet with Miss Elizabeth Kendall, Friday, April 2nd, at 2.30 p. m. The Guild is planning to hold a sale April 21st.

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PRETTY FANCY COSTUME PARTY.

Miss Martha Langley brought her dancing classes to a close Friday afternoon with a fancy costume party. About sixty children attended, all of them in fancy dress. A large number of guests witnessed the children dancing. The program was a long one—from 3.30 until 6.30 p. m. Refreshments were served at the intermission.

In the German the favors were unusually pretty, consisting of fans for the misses and ribbon trimmed whips for the young men.

Following are some of the costumes: Marian Foster, Tamborine girl; Katharine Lawrance, Sunflower; Margaret Cummings, Rose; Josephine Woods, Priscilla; Alberta Seagraves, Colonial girl; Amy Ackerman, Forget-me-not; Hope Wright, fancy costume; Elizabeth Fiske, Fairy; Ruth Roberts, Gypsy; Clara Somes, Little Red Ridinghood; Dorothy Wingate, Spanish girl; Eunice Grover, Irish Girl; Charlotte Stone, Dutch girl; Elizabeth Symmes, Daisy; Marjorie Braddock, Flower girl; Helen Ireland, Flower girl; Esther Getting, Colonial Maiden; June Root, Second girl; Edith Fenno, Swede; Ruth Hazelton, Flower girl; Phillis Tutien, fancy dress; Martha Locke, Mary, Mary quite contrary; Mildred Lee, Spanish girl; Katherine Fisk, fancy costume; Ora Wingate, Jester; Pauline Miller, Folly; Celina Cox, Squaw; Melora Davis, French Rose; Ruth Phippen, Jester; Estelle Davis, Swiss maiden; Bunnie Lawson, Japanese girl; Bryant Wood, Scotch boy; Stowell Symmes, Indian chief; Russell Symmes, Sailor boy; Edwin Lawson, Peter Pan; Jud Benet, Little Boy Blue; Dexter Tutien, Roger Bros; Guy Messenger, George Washington; Homer Colgate, Cowboy; Loring Gleason, Cadet; Derby Weston, Clown; Kenneth Pratt, Chef; Edmund Stewart, Spanish Knight; Holbrook Ayer, Clown; George Hazeltine, Sailor; Maro Weston, Sailor; Willard Locke, Clown; Allan Wilde, Sailor boy; Harold Farnsworth, Buglar; Arthur Locke, Jockey; Chesley Whitten, Jester; Donald Lawson, Gypsy; Samuel Symmes, Indian; Lester Johnson, Midshipman; Norman Small, Cavalry Lieutenant; Francis Getty, Military Full Dress. The following ladies served as matrons: Mrs. George A. Woods, Mrs. Frank Grover, Mrs. Edward M. Messenger, Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. A. H. Lawson.

CLUB DRAMA AT THE FORTNIGHTLY.

Two short plays were given last Monday by members of the Club simple but full of fun, and well performed. Although the valuable suggestions and aid given by Mr. Sylvester Taylor were most helpful, the success of the plays was dependent on the ability of the actors.

The first performance was "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone." Mrs. Ham and Miss Downs, who took the parts of Mrs. Oakley and her friend, were very attractive, and did exceedingly well. Mrs. Reynolds furnished an excellent type of the nineteenth century cook—make-up, acting and brogue; and Mrs. Pike was a sweet little maid, with a very natural German accent. The care of the telephone seemed to devolve on the cook, who, in calling up wrong numbers made some laughable mistakes.

The masculine element was entirely eliminated from the play. Otherwise, Mr. Oakley and Mr. Colby—the two silent partners, so to speak—would probably have come in for their share of praise. One could not help wishing they would force their way in, and give in person an explanation of their mistakes, which however—especially in Mr. Colby's case—had a happy ending.

Miss Mason and Mrs. Root, whose histrionic powers are too well known to need more than a mention, were the only actors in the second play "A Fair Encounter," which was bright and entertaining. Many masculine knocks at the door were heard and answered, with never the glimpse of a man. However, the plot was interestingly developed without the presence of these invisible men.

After electrically drawn vehicles became a common sight, when used for pleasure and shopping, it was not long until the people became familiar with the electrically driven truck. Its great economy of time, space and service put it into the forefront of business purposes. The possibilities of trucks appeal quickly to every frequenter of the streets. The most faithful horse is uncertain of control among varied conditions of the street traffic. The horse takes up too much space in proportion to his size and capacity and people are afraid not only of his heels but his head. A truck of ordinary commercial capacity will do the work of three similar horse-driven wagons and saves four-fifths of the space. The possibilities for relieving congested street traffic can thus be readily understood. Another possibility is the relief of congested stable conditions. The cost of building and land for stables is a serious matter with all commercial firms. The space required for the horses and their equipment can be done away with absolutely if electric vehicles are used, because the electric vehicle takes only the space used by the old-fashioned wagon, that must have its horses for power.

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TOWN MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Town Meeting of March 1, 1909, was adjourned to meet at the

TOWN HALL,
MONDAY, MARCH 29, 1909,
at 7.45 p. m.,

when action will be taken on Atricles 27 to 29 inclusive, together with any unfinished business.

John G. Hovey,
Town Clerk.

March 17, 1909.

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GAIETY THEATRE.

Success in the burlesque field must now be won on merit alone as the day of catching the public with flaring posters and misleading statements is past. The company that gives the best entertainment is sure of the patronage, and managers this season are striving hard to obtain the very best talent available for presentation at popular prices. The manager, who will this season direct the fortunes of the "Lid Lifters" Company, has secured a company second to none. This will be the attraction at the Gaiety Theatre for the week of the 29th instant.

The vehicles which will present the company to advantage are two new and highly amusing burlesques written along legitimate lines and which will be found full of good comedy situations and witty hits, on the foibles of the day.

The girls will be seen in charming musical numbers and dancing innovations which will be greatly enhanced by magnificent settings, gorgeous costumes and unique and brilliant electrical effects. One big feature of the vaudeville olio will be Kadura's Imperial Japanese Troupe of acrobats declared to be the best on the variety stage today. Daily matinees at the Gaiety are at 2.15 o'clock.

KEITH'S THEATRE.

The most dramatic of all actresses, Nance O'Neil is announced for the headline feature at Keith's Theatre the week of March 29th. For this engagement she will play an adaptation for vaudeville purposes of one of the strongest plays in her repertoire.

Another feature of the bill will be Clarice Mayne, the English impersonator who appeared at this house about a few months ago and made such a hit that she was booked for a return date.

Sam Chip and Anna Marble, another new vaudeville combination, will be seen here for the first time after a strong New York success. They have a dainty little play written especially for them with a strong comedy element.

Also on the bill are Matthews and Ashley in a sketch; Hardeen, the handcuff king, who is now doing feats that is said to surpass anything formerly done in this line, as he escapes from trunks, straight jackets and especially devised apparatus for holding prisoners.

Others on the bill are The Barrows-Lancaster Co.; the Onlaw Trio; the Asahi Troupe and other special features to be announced later.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH MASSACHUSETTS!

At a hearing before the Committee on Railroads Tuesday, former Representative Charles A. Dean of Wakefield said that Massachusetts is being injured by being satisfied with the condition of things which have left New England in the rear in business development.

Mr. Dean said that he had laid it down as a public policy to obtain from public service corporations all possible conveniences for the public, to get the lowest rates with the best possible service. On the other hand, we must give the corporations a chance to develop, to meet the present day conditions. We must either have state ownership or leave the railroads reasonably free to develop themselves.

The attorney-general, he went on to say, has thrown upon the Legislature the relation of the Boston & Maine with the New Haven. Last year the committee on railroads proposed a drastic remedy in the bill to prevent the New Haven from voting the Boston & Maine stock which it owned and that it should be voted by the state through the railroad commission. This was nearer to state ownership than anything else which has ever been proposed in Massachusetts, and was more radical than anything which will be passed for years to come.

"I don't know if there is one per cent of water in the New Haven stock," he summed up, "but I do know that they have spent $3,000,000 to build up the industries of Bridgeport; they have spent $3,000,000 more for a tunnel through Providence to give quick service to Fall River and New Bedford, and $10,000,000 to six-track their line into New York. In Massachusetts we have put a stop to this.

"The only suggestion that has been offered was from the president of the Chamber of Commerce; that we encourage the Canadian Pacific or some other line to take up the Boston & Maine. Isn't it better to build up New England roads and let them combine or work together."

SUBURBAN LIFE FOR APRIL.

The leading article in the April number of Suburban Life is a pen picture of the President on the golf links. The illustrations were made especially for Suburban Life, and are particularly fine. Another unusual article is entitled "Where the Ostrich Feather Crop is Grown," "The Part Played by the Forests in Every-Day Life," by Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson and Forest Commissioner James S. Whipple, of New York, ought to be read by every one interested in the conservation of our natural resources. An article which will be sure to excite no little comment is entitled "Cemeteries of the Future," "An Auto Suggestion" is an out-of-the-ordinary automobile story, and "Taking a Mouse Census" is a nature story of a character to interest everybody. Among the many practical articles in this number may be mentioned "Flower-Boxes for Window and Porch," "An Unusual House for $3,000," "Under the Spell of the Iris," "Making over an Old House," "How to Trim a Tree," "The Suburban Fruit Garden," "Landscape Gardening on the Modest Estate," "Making Furniture at Home," "Asparagus in the Home Garden," "Things to Consider When Buying a House," "The Most Profitable Garden Vegetables," and "Heating the House with a Furnace."

Through reappointment by Speaker Cannon, Congressman McCall is again the third member of the great committee on ways and means of the national house of representatives. It is this committee which during the past few months has been working on the schedules of the new tariff bill. Just at this time it is by far the most important committee of the house, and it is now that Mr. McCall's long term of service and experience in public affairs will be of particular value to New England.

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ABSTRACT OF THE AMERICAN TELEPHONE TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S ANNUAL REPORT.

A general statement covering the business of the Bell system included by President Theodore N. Vail with the annual report of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

There was a total of 4,364,629 telephone stations connected to the Bell system as against 3,839,000 at the close of the previous year, an increase of 525,629 stations. Of the total there were 1,103,144 exchange and toll stations connected to the Bell System by toll or long distant lines, but operated by some 7,700 local, co-operative, and rural independent companies or associations having sub-license or connection contracts.

The total wire mileage of the Bell companies for toll and exchange service was 9,830,718, over a million miles being added during the year. The daily average of calls handled by the Bell companies was 18,965,000, or at the rate of about six billions a year. The plant additions were $15,824,000 for exchanges, $8,812,600 for toll lines, and $2,000,600 for land and buildings, making a total of $26,637,200. During the past nine years a grand total of $378,472,800 has been expended in enlarging the Bell properties.

During the year $39,736,700 was applied out of revenue to maintenance and reconstruction purposes.

Of the total value of the telephone plants owned by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and associated companies, real estate constitutes 9 per cent, underground conduits and cables 20 per cent, copper wires and aërial cables on poles 18 per cent, pole lines, not including wires, 26 per cent, —$8,000,000 of this represents ownership of rights of way over private property, —iron wires 4 per cent., central office equipment 23 per cent.

The associated operating companies show reductions in floating indebtedness and increases in cash on hand, a net improvement of $5,004,000.

President Vail shows that the real or replacement value of the Bell plant is largely in excess of all outstanding obligations.

The business as a whole, excluding duplications and treating it as if operated by a single company, showed a substantial improvement. The total earnings showed an increase over the previous year of $7,009,500, the total expenses an increase of $3,101,100. The balance of net earnings was $45,974,000, and after deducting $11,034,500 for interest and $21,338,100 for dividends there was left $13,601,400 in undivided profits. The combined balance sheet shows total assets of $680,044,200, with a surplus of $31,759,600, and depreciation and other reserves of $40,480,300.

The earnings of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company also show a decided improvement over last year and every previous year. The net revenue was $18,121,707.26 out of which dividends of 8 per cent were paid, amounting to $12,459,156, leaving a surplus of $5,662,551.26.

There is shown a considerable increase in the number of shareholders, there being at the end of the year 26,370 shareholders with an average holding of 60 each.

The report says: "There has not been sufficient distinction between the "Independents and the 'Opposition' in the minds of the public. We have no quarrel with either. With many of the Independents we are working in complete harmony, and for all practical purposes our system is a part of theirs and their system is a part of ours." On the other hand, President Vail says that there is a decided tendency on the part of the public to favor consolidation.

In general, the report calls attention to the fact that there are over 70,000 shareholders in the Bell system. The business has shown an increase from year to year, no matter what the prevailing business conditions. The Bell system, under an intelligent control and broad policy, has developed until it has assimilated itself into and in fact becomes the nervous system of the business and social organization of the country. It has shown that the average rate of this country, taking all classes of service and conditions into consideration, is about the same as the average of all other countries. Cheapness is relative to value, not to price. Value in telephone service depends on development, extent of system, certainty, and promptness.

In the concluding statement regarding public relations the report says: "During the year we have had many questions before the courts, state commissions, and other public bodies. We have met them in a spirit of absolute frankness and candor. The results have been on the whole satisfactory, and the treatment we have received has been fair and considerate, and we have found an evident desire to ascertain the real conditions and to meet them fairly."

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Some Popular With the Students—Objection Made to Others.

Some of the colleges have a great dislike to the way in which they are referred to commonly in connection with athletics. For instance, Wesleyan men don't like to be called "the Methodists," as they appear sometimes.

At the Naval academy there is a strong prejudice against being called "Annapolis." The navy men aren't particularly fond of "midshipmen." They believe the proper name for their institution is "the navy."

Columbia has a great distaste for the name of "Columbians" for their representatives in athletics or other public appearances. At the University of Chicago there is a dislike of the name "Chicago university," sometimes applied.

Although not so strongly opposed to it, students at Pennsylvania do not like the full title "University of Pennsylvania" as well as plain "Pennsylvania." "Penn" is preferred to either. "Maroons" for Chicago men, "Gophers" for Minnesota, "Badgers" for Wisconsin students, "Cornhuskers" for Nebraska, "Wolverenes" for Michigan, "Illini" for the men of Illinois—all are names that are popular at those colleges and are used by the men there in speaking of their own teams. Indeed, to a man unacquainted with nicknames the average statement regarding a conference college is puzzling because of the almost entire lack of straightout names.—New York Sun.

Teaching the Royal Salute.

Crossing the deck of the Kaiser Wilhelm II. royal yacht with a large mug of beer in his hand, one of the sailors was startled by the sudden appearance of his royal master. He made a most clumsy attempt to salute with his free hand, while his anxiety to prevent the beer spilling amused his majesty. "Look here," said the latter, "you didn't do that right. Let me show you how it ought to be done." Telling the man to fancy that he was the emperor, who was to be saluted, the kaiser took the mug and retreated a few paces. Then, coming forward again, stopping opposite to the sailor, he held the mug to his lips, drained it, put it down on the deck and gave the salute with military precision. "That's the way to do it," he remarked to the astonished seaman. "Now go downstairs and tell them to fill the mug up again and give you one for yourself. Say it was I who drank it."

Brain and Muscle.

According to Miss Loane, the author of "From Their Point of View," more men are tramps and more women are miserable housewives if married or underpaid slaves if single because they cannot or will not use their brain power than because they are too lazy for hard bodily labor. The amount of purely unintellectual drudgery diminishes every year and the demand for intelligent workers increases.

The author had one woman patient, a worker among London poor, a chronic sufferer, who managed to keep house and children in far more perfect order than vigorous neighbors always scrubbing and scouring. She was once asked how she contrived to do this, and she replied:

"I [illegible] do three parts of it. [illegible] [illegible]"

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He was left alone from 10 a. m. until half past 12, when he went to lunch. Returning at 2 o'clock, he worked without interruption until 4 o'clock, when he turned over to the editor what he had written.

Yet the work was not complete. Mr. Warner read the first proof and in succession three revised sheets.

Each time he made change after change in phraseology, seeking out the one right word, while even in the nicety of paragraphing he seemed to make clearer what he desired to express. Nor did the close revision end with the marking of the last proof.

After the paper had gone to press and the first sheets had been brought up to the composing room for an O. K. Mr. Warner looked wistfully at the editor and observed:

"Would you object to lifting the form? I see a sentence in the last paragraph that might be somewhat changed. She was too good, you know, to have a slovenly tribute paid to her."

Even the printers refused to get angry over the delay, and forthwith the form was sent up and changes went on for an hour. At last, though publication was delayed fully two hours, the editor, but not Mr. Warner, had the supreme satisfaction of knowing that the work was as nearly perfect as human art could make it, and the edition was sent out.

Selling "Carlyle."

Here is Whistler's story of how he sold his famous picture of Carlyle to the Glasgow corporation:

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And he said that it seemed to the committee [illegible]. "Why, the figure was [illegible]"

And I [illegible].

"[illegible]" I [illegible] "few men are [illegible]"

And [illegible] It was an official [illegible] and I [illegible] it. Then they asked me to think over the matter until the next day, and they would come again. And they came. And they said, "Have you thought of the thousand guineas and what we said about it, Mr. Whistler?"

And I said, "Why, gentlemen, why—well, you know, how could I think of anything but the pleasure of seeing you again?"

And naturally, being gentlemen, they understood, and they gave me a check for the thousand guineas.

The Millers.

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Town Meeting.

The adjourned town meeting will be held in the Town Hall Monday evening. There is important business yet to be acted upon, that should call for a large attendance of the citizens.

A Needed improvement.

For the convenience of the public, the sidewalk on Washington street from Dunham to Swanton streets should be concreted or built of cement. This sidewalk is in very poor condition, so much so that pedestrians have to take to the street to avoid the mud and water. Here is a public improvement that far outweighs any objections that might be raised against it.

Spectacular Fires.

It may have been a coincidence, the burning of three churches in three adjoining towns and all within three months, nevertheless there is a suspiciousness connecting the three fires that seems to be warranted. All of the fires were under the belfries of high steepled churches. Such fires are spectacular. It would not be amiss to have a sharp watch placed over our First Congregational Church edifice.

What Is The Matter.

Woburn is much ahead of Winchester on its street lighting, which is considered second to none in the State. Had Winchester accepted the contract offered by the Edison Co, three years ago, it could have increased its lighting considerably, or not caring to do this, the town could have saved during that time over $1,000 over what it is now paying. About every city and town in the district covered by the Edison Co. has agreed to a contract with the company with the exception of Winchester, despite the fact that successive Boards of Selectmen have favored doing so for the purpose of saving money or increasing the number of lights.

For Improved Sidewalks.

It is understood that an attempt will be made at the town meeting Monday evening to secure an expression of opinion from the citizens in regard to a general betterment of the sidewalks of the town. This is a very important matter. We have been for some years past building and improving the streets, but the sidewalks have been generally neglected so much so that the people have quite frequently found better walking in the streets than on the walks. A start should be made in building each year on the principal streets a certain amount of granolithic walk. While this costs more at the outset than tar concrete, yet in the end it is much cheaper, for if not disturbed, it will last for a great many years. Winchester is a model town with model streets; now let a beginning be made toward securing model sidewalks. All these attract newcomers here.

FREIGHT YARD CONTENTION.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

I do not propose to be drawn into a newspaper controversy over the matter which interests A. E. W. so much, but I desire to correct one or two erroneous statements made in his communication to the STAR of a week ago.

I have never "laid down the law" in Town Meeting except in one case—perhaps twenty years ago—when my professional opinion was required by the Town. That opinion was in writing, was read in that meeting and was enforced by myself in an oral argument. In regard to my famous letter to the Treasurer of the Boston & Maine Railroad which disturbs my friend so much, I do not remember knowing until reading his article in your issue of March 5th, that that letter was ever read in Town Meeting. I certainly was not present when it was read, nor was its reading procured by myself, or, as far as I know, by anyone else in the interest of Mrs. Miller. The letter does not "lay down the law," but simply states, without argument, that Mrs. Miller made certain claims.

My friend endeavors to make it appear that I am endeavoring to suppress something about the "Old Freight Yard Contention" as he calls it. I never cared anything about that contention one way or the other, except as above indicated, and of course am not attempting at this late day to suppress any information respecting it. One cannot help wishing, if my friend is so concerned about the public weal in regard to the Freight Yard, that he should extend his benevolent care to the convenience of the public nearer his Mill.

This is intended to be my last communication upon this thread-bare subject, for even if I were so disposed, I should not expect to have the last word when brought into competition with so prolific a writer.

A. C. V.

THE GAME OF POLITICS.

A queer situation has arisen in Natick in which the aid of the Legislature has been called upon. It seems that a few years ago the Telephone Company desired to lay a conduit through this town from the Wellesley to South Framingham line. Permission from the town authorities was asked to lay the conduit.

The politicians saw a chance in this request to play politics (some people said it was graft) and so they began to load the request down with all manner of restrictions. Indeed the demands were so numerous and far reaching that the telephone people threw up their hands in disgust and retired. But this retirement, it seems, was only to seek a a way to reach South Framingham by other ways more honorable. As a result permission was received from the Boston & Albany Railroad to lay the conduit along side the bed of the railroad. The Natick politicians, while no doubt, chagrined, outwardly manifested no signs of regret. But the people who pay the taxes did when they learned that the town, because of the action taken by its officials, had lost $50,000 a year in taxable property—as this was the amount that Wellesley was collecting on, and Natick would have been able to assess on a similar amount.

The tax payers now have a bill before the Legislature asking for the passage of an act enabling Natick to collect on this conduit notwithstanding that it is on railroad property. At the hearing last week a representative of the company stated that after slight modifications there would be no objection to having the conduit taxed by Natick. The representative also called the attention of the committee to the manner in which the company's request had been treated by certain Natick officials—conditions which no corporation could agree to. The company has shown a spirit of fairness throughout, which is in striking contrast to the methods of those Natick politicians who played the game of politics to the detriment of their town.

BISHOP-BOWSER.

The marriage of Miss Marion Leggett Bowser and Mr. Edward Bishop took place at five o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Epiphany Church, Rev. J. W. Suter performing the ceremony. The couple were attended at the ceremony by Mr. William L. Bowser as best man and Miss Florence Bowser as bridesmaid.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Susan Bowser of Winthrop and the groom is also of Winthrop having for several years past lived with his sister, Mrs. D. S. Lundin of 98 Winthrop Shore drive.

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OBSERVATIONS.

EDITOR OF THE STAR:

Brookline's receipts and payments for the past year were arranged in the town report according to the schedules prepared by the municipal statistics department of the bureau of statistics of labor of the Commonwealth. Why were not ours?

Winchester's debt in 1904 was 6.50 per cent. of its valuation, by the end of this year it will be only 4 per cent., having paid off $197,000 and added $27,000 in that time and increased the valuation about 1 3-4 millions.

Monday night's town meeting has two important articles to consider, grade crossing and street lighting contract. What can be done under the first is problematical but the discussion of the second should be interesting. I understand that the Selectman favor a ten years contract and the special committee one year. The contract now offered by the company is quite different from the one of a year or so ago and does not tie up rates of service in any way, leaving it open to go to the Commission at any time. It provides that one per cent. will be deducted from the face of the bills for each year the contract is made for up to ten years, so that with our present number of lamps we would get about $800 a year discount on the longest term, which in ten years with the natural increase in the number of lamps would amount to about $900. The company also offers to date the contract back to some time last year, a further saving to us of about a $1000. The difference between all night lighting and 12.30 lighting, which we now have outside of the centre where arc lights burn all night, would be on our present number of lamps about $1000 a year more or about $4.50 a night. Arlington, Medford and Woburn now have all night every night lighting and think it worth the extra cost; we have never tried it. The arguments in favor of it are, increased protection, a feeling of protection, convenience and safety; against these is the extra expense. Some also think it is more up to date and therefore Winchester should have it. Will offer a motion to the meeting and let it decide the whole question after a full and free discussion and settle it for a while at least.

The able Brookline committee on the question of establishing a municipal lighting plant which was given $2000 to spend, has after two years work just made an exhaustive report of thirty pages. It studied the questions at home and abroad, drove down the rates of the local company to the lowest point possible, then engineered a deal for the Edison company to take it over so as to get lower rates still and finally estimated what the town could do the business for and decided against the town plant proposition. As soon as the commission approves the taking over of the local company by the Edison the committee will consider a ten years contract with it. This is going some. Imagine if you can, Boston handling a proposition so.

"Spectator" has a very amusing communication in last week's STAR on the "value of town meeting discussion." The question of purity of the water supply has been in the State Board of Health all of the time and if it believed it was being polluted it should have taken action. Mr. Russell's motion was superseded by Mr. Hall's which answered the purpose of notice to the State board that the town wanted no fishing in the reservoirs and that is what will be carried out.

Tuesday evening, after the Evangelistic service at the First Church, Woburn, while the Winchester people were waiting for their car to start, they gave quite a good song service, while sitting in the car. They had a good sized audience on the street, who greatly appreciated the music.

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The announcement of Representative Moreau's appointment to West Point has not been made as yet. The results of the competitive examination have been sent to him at Washington and the name of the fortunate youth will probably be given out next week.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Rogers are the parents of a daughter, born Tuesday.

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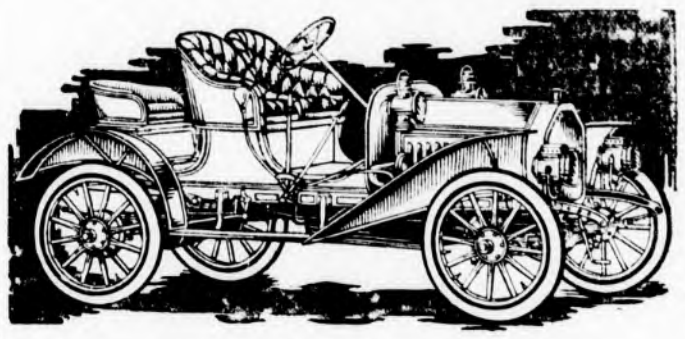

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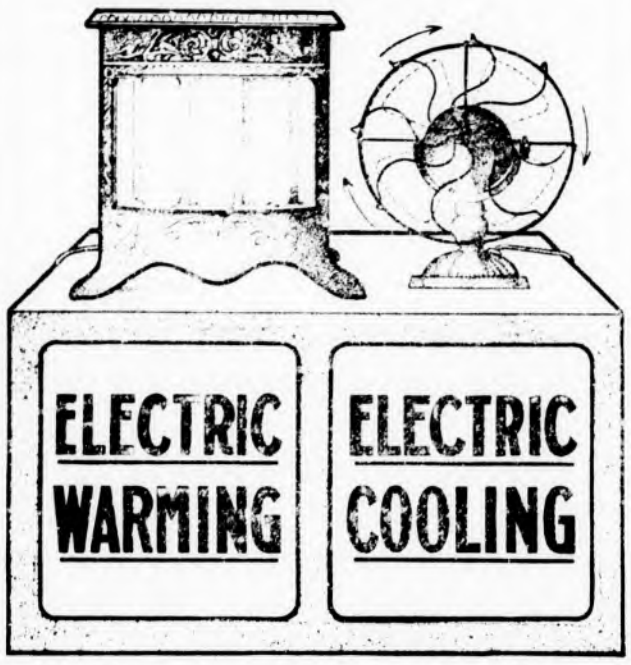

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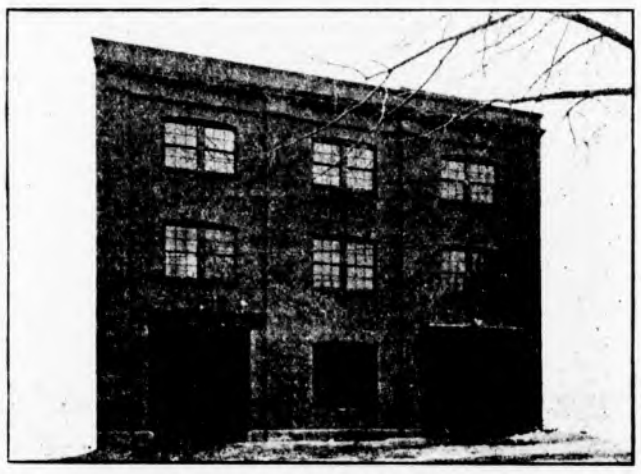

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"That's the sour milk cow," the farmer explained, with a straight face. "We always cut the tail off one cow in the herd so as to get sour milk fresh every day."

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10.30 a. m. Morning worship with preaching. Anthems—"Hearken unto Me, My People," Sullivan. Soprano Solo.

12 m. Sunday School. Lesson—Temperance lesson. Prov. 23 : 29-35. New class for women with Mrs. Jotham Woods for teacher; all ladies are invited to join it. The Committee on Men's Class will please remain after the morning service.

3.00 p. m. Children's Church Service in the main auditorium to which all children under fifteen are invited. Theme—"Jesus, the Life Saver." Parents and Sunday School teachers are welcome.

6.00 p. m. Christian Endeavor Meeting. Topic—"Great Missionary Books, Home and Foreign." Isa. 62 : 6-12. Leader from the Missionary Committee. All young people are welcome.

7.00 p. m. Evening Service in the vestry. Alexander songs. One of the choir will also sing. Short sermon. Everybody welcome. Come.

Tuesday, 3.45 p. m. Meeting of Seek and Save Circle in the vestry. Learn lesson 4. "The Great Dark Lands."

Wednesday, 4.30 p. m. The Minister's Class will meet as usual at the vestry. Review lesson twenty-one; learn lesson twenty-two for the advance.

7.45 p. m. Mid-week meeting for everyone. Topic—"How to spread the Good News." Acts 8 : 1-40. The young people's choir helps very much in the singing, others are invited to join it. Come and be helped by an hour of song and devotion.

Thursday, 10 a. m. Monthly Meeting of the Ladies' Western Missionary Society at the vestry. Luncheon at 12.30 o'clock. Business meeting at 3 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services in church building opposite the Town Hall at 10.30 a. m. Subject, "Reality."

Sunday School at 11.45 a. m.

Wednesday evening at 7.45.

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Unitarian Church.

Rev. Wm. I. Lawrance, pastor. Residence 475 Main street.

10.30 a. m. Morning Service. Pastor's subject, "Rewards and Punishments."

12 m. Sunday School.

7.00 p. m. Vesper Service. The choir will be assisted by the Park Male Quartette. The Preacher will be the Reverend Edward Cummings, associate pastor, with Edward Everett Hale, of the South Congregational Church, Boston.

Tuesday, Mr. Lawrance will be at home to callers during the afternoon and evening, at the Church Parlor. During the afternoon the children and young people will be especially welcome. This is to be the last of the present series of reception given by the Pastor.

Second Congregational Church.

Rev. Charles A. S. Dwight, pastor.

11.00 a. m. Morning worship, with preaching by the Rev. Roderick D. Dundonald, the noted Scotch lecturer and evangelist, from Glen Levan Loch Lomond. Mr. Dundonald is a speaker of great power. The public cordially invited.

12.15 p. m. Bible School and meeting of the "Cornerstone Class."

5.15 p. m. Meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society. Led by Mr. Alexander Kerr.

6.15 p. m. Gospel service, with brief sermon by the Pastor.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. Henry E. Hodge, pastor, residence, 211 Washington street.

10.15 a. m. Preparatory Prayer.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the Pastor on "The Lost Found." Mrs. Arthur T. Downer will sing by request "The Ninety and Nine" by Campion.

12 m. Sunday School. Classes for all.

12 m. Business Men's Conference.

5.30 p. m. Prudential Committee will meet those who wish to unite with the church.

6.00 p. m. Young People's Missionary meeting.

7.00 p. m. Annual open meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Reynolds of Boston. Collection.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Covenant meeting. Topic, "My Covenant with Jesus."

Thursday, 10 till 4. Woman's Benevolent Society.

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Fifth Sunday in Lent.

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12.15 p. m. Sunday school.

5 p. m. Evening Prayer and Address.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

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10.30 a. m. Public worship. Singing by the quartette. Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "The Volunteer." Please bring your mite boxes.

12.00 m. Sunday School in church vestry. Temperance Lesson. Classes for all ages. Men's Bible Class to which all men are invited. Leader—Mr. Leon E. Crouch.

6.00 p. m. Epworth League. Rev. John J. Cornelius of Madras, India, will speak. All invited to this attractive service.

7.00 p. m. Service in the Auditorium. Sermon by the pastor upon the theme, "Following the Path." Singing from the Alexander Books. All cordially invited to this service.

Wednesday, 7.45 p. m. Service of Prayer and Praise.

Friday, 3.00 p. m. W. C. T. U. at Mrs. F. A. Newth's home.

Friday, 4.00 p. m. Junior League meeting.

Friday, 7.45 p. m. Cottage prayer meetings.

The New England Conference of the M. E. Church meets at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Lowell, on Wednesday of this week and is held until the following Monday.

Epworth League Rally on Tuesday evening.

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Hunting a Homemaker.

By LULU JOHNSON.

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A mere toddler of a boy stood on the bank above the railroad track. In his hand was a stone. Aiming blindly, he tossed the stone upon the track, and it snuggled against the gleaming rail.

In less than forty-eight hours that stone, tossed by a baby hand, had thrown Wall street and the money market of the country into a panic.

The single track of the little western road afforded rough traveling. Not many of the travelers aboard that particular train even noticed the somewhat harder jolt when the car wheel struck the stone.

But Gilbert Fairbain, smoking a "good night" cigar as he leaned alone against the railing of the observation car's platform, felt the jar—and then felt nothing more.

And it was two weeks before Wall street learned that Fairbain, the one man who could have stopped the panic, had been found beside the tracks and removed to a farmhouse on the quarter section nearest the road.

For ten days he had been unconscious, and for two days or more he had been in no condition to be left alone. There was but one inmate of that farmhouse besides himself, and she had been too busy nursing him to make the trip to the nearest town to report that he had been found.

As soon as his whereabouts had been discovered the lonesome little town was overrun with people. Grave and learned physicians from the east were hurried westward on special trains and a regiment of nurses attended them, but Fairbain waved them all away.

"I don't need you," he said irritably. "Little Mrs. Bodington pulled me through without a lot of palaver or thousand dollar doctors to help her. Leave a couple of nurses to wait on her, and the rest of you go away."

"There is an excellent hospital not fifty miles from here," suggested the family physician. "I can look after you with better assurance of successful treatment."

"Sugden, you're an ass," declared Fairbain irritably. "This little woman nursed me single handed through an attack of brain fever. I guess she can attend to the convalescence."

"I will not undertake to be responsible for the consequences," said Sugden, with ponderous emphasis.

"You don't have to be," was the acrid response. "You are going to be packed out of here, the whole lot of you. I've spent most of my life with a doctor on one side of me and a lawyer on the other. I'm sick of it all, and I'm entitled to a rest."

He looked contentedly about the tiny room. The outlook from the narrow paned windows was dreary, and the room itself was walled with rough plaster and decorated with cheap prints in homemade frames.

The bed on which he rested was a wooden affair with a cotton mattress and coarse cotton sheets, but the sheets were immaculately clean, and there was an air of hominess about the place that Fairbain had not known in years.

He closed his eyes contentedly and dozed off. Sugden, mindful of his fat fees, waited in deferential silence during the half hour the nap lasted. Fairbain's glance fell first on him as his eyes opened again.

"You still here?" he cried. "Sugden, if you don't take the first train back to New York I'll make you sue for whatever I owe you and I'll take it on appeal and appeal until you spend every cent you ever made off of me. Now get out of here."

Sugden took his departure, vowing that his patient was insane, but Fairbain only smiled contentedly and turned to the sweet faced woman who sat beside the bed.

"That's the way to talk to those sharks," he declared. "I have a headache, and Sugden gives me something to make it worse. Then he doctors me for the new 'disease' and sends in a bill a yard long. This is the time I fooled him."

"I am glad that you were not moved," said the woman softly. "I think that the excitement would have been bad for you."

"It is not the trip I was dreading," admitted Fairbain frankly. "I like it here, and I want to stay a little while. My secretary will stay over in town and bring my important mail every day, and the two nurses will relieve you of the watchful nights.

"If you want anything else, buy it or hire it or something. Wilson will give you what money I need. Wilson is a fine fellow," he added. "He came into my office this fall as a clerk, and I took a fancy to him and made him my confidential man. He took to the job as though he had known me and my affairs since he was born."

"It must be very nice to have some one to do your work the way you want it done," she said softly. "I am glad that you are so pleased with him."

"I'm pleased with him," said Fairbain musingly, "so long as you are not too well pleased with him. You won't be pleased with him?" he pleaded.

"No more than I am now," she promised, and with that Fairbain was content. He was convinced that money was omnipotent and that even here on the prairie it could purchase the love of the little woman who had made him so comfortable.

Fairbain was in love with his newly found home comforts rather than with the woman herself, but this he did not know, although, when there was no longer any pretext for prolonging the stay, he spoke bravely enough.

"I need you very much," he said earnestly. "I have a house that covers half a square in the most expensive residential district in New York. I have three yachts, something like a dozen automobiles and all that sort of thing, but I have no home. Not since I was a boy have I realized what home was like. My wife was no homemaker, and when she died I never dared repeat the experiment with the women in the set I lived in. You are different. For years I have been hungry. Don't you think that you can come and make it for me?"

The little woman paused for a moment and scanned the face of the multimillionaire as earnestly as though she had not devoted weeks in that pursuit.

There was no ardent affection in tone or look. Fairbain discussed the matter with as much feeling as though he was discussing the making of some railroad deal with his fellow magnates. He was not the young lover, but the elderly widower in need of a homemaker.

The girl—she was little more than that—nodded her head in an affirmative.

"I'll make the home for you, but not as your wife. I am not a widow, you see?"

"I am married," continued the girl hurriedly. "I married when I was on the stage. I married a boy who never had had a home, and I made one for him—out here where nothing matters. He was home hungry. I knew that I would spoil all his chances if I married him. I also knew that he would spoil his own chances if I didn't, so I married him.

"After our boy was born—that was the second year we were here—he went back east and took a name that was neither his nor mine to show his father that he was able to work for the woman he loved. I am married to your son, Mr. Fairbain. I guess you've forgotten that Gregory married Martha Bodington. From what Gregory told me, you called me everything but my right name at that last interview."

"Perhaps I did," was the shamefaced reply. "I guess I did not know what I was saying, and I'm certain that I didn't know the sort of a girl I was talking about."

"We'll forget that now," offered Martha. "Let the past be forgotten for the sake of the boy."

"But Gregory?" asked Fairbain.

"There," Martha pointed out over the prairie, where the secretary was to be seen riding across the section with the mail.

"And Wilson is Gregory? You mean to say I didn't know my own boy when I hired him?" asked Fairbain, with a chuckle. "To think that all the time he has been here I've been fretting because I feared that you might learn to love him. And all that time you were married to him. I'm rather glad, my dear, that I made my second marriage by proxy, so long as you will make a home for Greg and the boy and me."

"I was so afraid that you would recognize Greg," said Martha as she regarded the tall figure of the secretary with a look of frank admiration.

"He assumed an excellent disguise," reminded Fairbain. "I never thought to find my son a worker, my dear. That's another thing I have to thank you for," and Fairbain sighed with relief. He had found a home while retaining his domestic independence, and the son for whom his heart cried out was restored to him again.

Changes In Boston.

In 1636 one of the suburbs of Boston was Newe Towne, which in 1638 was changed to Cambridge and as the seat of Harvard university has an international reputation today. Since the early lines were fixed Cambridge obtained by annexation a part of Charlestown, but has ceded land to the towns of Waltham, Brighton, Watertown, Belmont and West Cambridge, the latter now known as Arlington.

The Boston of 1630, called Tri-Mountain, was very different from the Boston of today. Its area was not extensive, although it included the larger portion of Quincy, out of which the town of Braintree was made at a later period. The first annexations to Boston were Noddles Island (East Boston) and the territory now covered by Chelsea.

In 1640 Boston lost its rights in Quincy, which were acquired by the town of Braintree. Subsequent additions to Boston have been Roxbury, Dorchester, West Roxbury, Brighton, Charlestown and a part of Brookline.

As an independent municipality Charlestown, which was settled as early as Boston, gave birth to Somerville, Woburn, Malden, Stoneham and Mulford and furnished land to Cambridge.—Boston Post.

Value of the Architect.

The members of a country club, the building and decoration of whose clubhouse had been placed entirely in the hands of the architect, even to the minutest furnishings, found themselves in need of new window shades and a few other small household necessities. Instead of buying the things themselves, they sent for the architect to come out and look things over and order appropriate fittings.

"That is not at all an unusual case," said the architect. "I can show you houses that I planned more than twenty-five years ago that have never been furnished with so much as a new chair without my being consulted first. Having deferred entirely to my judgment in the first place, those confiding patrons are afraid to trust their own taste in the smallest matter, and they will probably continue to ask my advice in every little detail of decoration as long as they occupy the house."—New York Globe.

FOXES HAVE SCALES.

A Naturalist Compares These Animals With the Reptiles.

K. Toldt, a Viennese naturalist, says that foxes have scales as well as hair upon their skins. From this he argues that they have descended from ancestors bearing horny skins, like the armadillos and the ant eaters.

Every one who has examined a rat closely knows that its tail is scaly throughout its length. Those who are familiar with wild boars know also that there are parts of their bodies on which there are distinct scales. Wherever the scales are found on these creatures with hairs as well, these hairs grow in tufts at regular intervals between the scales. As this form of growth is often found in animals which have no scales it is believed that when it exists it proves origin from a race which once bore scales.

Especially is this true of the fox. If his skin be examined closely it will be found that the hairs are arranged in groups of three bunches, each bunch containing fourteen or fifteen hairs, and that the skin has the appearance of that of a scaled ant eater from which the scales have been plucked. Under the microscope it looks scaly. Herr Toldt says the fox is one of the mammals that can be most correctly compared with the reptiles, being of a primitive and very slightly specialized type, although famous for its cunning. —New York World.

A TITLE AND A UNIFORM.

How Colonel Johnson Got the One and Bought the Other.

"Where did you get your military title?" was asked of Colonel Johnson.

"Charlie Culberson made me take it when he was governor of Texas," replied the Houston editor. "I told him I might have to wear a title, but I'd be hanged if I'd wear a uniform. One day I met the governor on the street, and he said, 'Hello, Bill.'

"'Hello, Charlie,' I replied.

"'Is that the proper manner to address your commanding officer?' he demanded sternly. 'Stand up straight, salute and say "Governor." Where's your uniform?'

"'The office isn't worth $125 of gold lace,' I replied hotly.

"'About face! March!' commanded the governor, and he marched me into a tailor shop.

"'Make this man a colonel's uniform and send the bill to me,' he said.

"I couldn't stand for that, so I said, 'I give you to understand, sir, if I've got to be a colonel I can buy my own uniform and put on as much gold lace as any man in Texas.'

"That's how I came to be a colonel and to have for sale cheap as fine a military uniform as ever was made in the south."—Exchange.

Women and New Money.

The cashier, as usual, paid the loom boss in new money—crisp, sweet smelling bank notes that it was pleasant to handle.

"But why is it, George," he asked, "that you insist upon new money always? I know you hand every cent of it to your wife."

The loom boss chuckled.

"It's easy to see you ain't a married man, Will," said he. "Otherwise you'd know woman's nature better and wouldn't need to be told the advantage of taking home new money to the wife. The explanation is, Will, that women are so fond of new money that they hate to part with it. It makes them economical. They bargain for this, they deny themselves that, and the upshot is that at the end of each week they have a tidy little sum, all brand new, put by in a stocking or a teapot. It pays, Will, to give the wife new money. It pays something like 20 per cent."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Order of Fools.

April 1 is not the only fools' day in the year. On November 12, 1381, the Order of Fools was instituted by Adolphus, count of Cleves.

Members were not by any means idiots, however, for the word had a different meaning then. They were the prototype of our modern Order of Foresters or Odd Fellows, doing a similarly benevolent work. Their insignia consisted of a mantle, upon the left shoulder of which was embroidered a jester, or fool, in cap and bells, yellow hose and silver vest. So these cheery, useful jokers had a bright, happy outlook upon life and met together to dispense the earnest of their healthful existence at stated intervals, the chief day of which was Nov. 12.—London Chronicle.

Origin of Cards.

The origin of cards lies far back in the hidden antiquity of Asia, no record so far having been found to unravel the source. It was from the distant orient that cards, along with chess, were first introduced into southern Europe, Spain and Italy especially. The earliest of these cards have been lost unfortunately and no record of them preserved.

His Kick.

Mr. H[illegible] Pepperpot had a kick coming on that last bill of goods, eh? Wouldn't that make you sore? Mr. [illegible] (the salesman)—It did me, sir. He kicked me out.—Kansas City Independent.

An Odd Coincidence.

"Do you know that nature and scholarship both agree on one thing?"

"What is that?"

"In the fall both begin to turn the leaves."—Baltimore American.

A straight line is the shortest in morals as in mathematics. — Edgeworth.

THE PLOT OF A PLAY.

How Sardou Came to Write "Les Pattes de Mouche."

Sardou sat working at a scenic adaptation of Voltaire's "Candide," and it hung fire not because there was no prospect of a dinner, but because his pipe was empty and he had not a penny wherewith to buy tobacco. Suddenly on opening a drawer of his table he uttered a cry of joy at the sight of five or six tickets of a wine company which gave its customers a voucher for 20 centimes for every bottle purchased. A quarter of an hour afterward he was the happy possessor of a silver franc piece and some sous besides.

Picking up a scrap of paper off the sanded floor of the tobacco shop, he was about to light his weed when the words "Marie [illegible]" caught his eye. The [illegible] trifle turned out to be the fragment of a letter from the well known actress to her son Charles. Sardou put his find in his pocket, but on his way home his plot weaving faculties, stimulated by the fumes of the tobacco, at once reasserted [illegible].

"This is the [illegible] letter of a mother to her boy," he said to himself. "Supposing, however, it had been the letter of a woman to her lover and, falling [illegible] into the hands of the woman's husband, wishing to light his cigar."

The suggestion led to his play "Les Pattes de Mouche."—London Chronicle.

A HUMAN GIBRALTAR.

The Story That Is Told of the English Colonel Burnaby.

In the biography of Colonel Fred Burnaby there is a characteristic story, told by his friend Lord Binning, of that soldier of herculean frame and reckless courage.

We were engaged in a football match on the green inside Windsor cavalry barracks, and the verandas were crowded with onlookers as the colonel, dressed for London in frock coat and tall hat, with a cigar in his mouth, came out of the officers' quarters and proceeded slowly across a corner of the ground, apparently oblivious of the fact that a match was in progress at the time. At this moment our fullback, a gigantic Yorkshireman named Bates, who must have weighed nearer fifteen than fourteen stone, charging impetuously for the ball, dashed full into Burnaby. The impact was terrific, but while the Yorkshireman hurled backward by the shock as though he had collided with a mountain, lay gasping on the ground, neither Burnaby's hat nor the angle of his cigar was in the smallest degree disturbed. In fact, he scarcely seemed to realize that a collision had taken place. When he did so he removed his cigar from his mouth and, with his pleasant smile, said: "Dear me, I do hope I am not interfering with the game." The shout of delight which went up from the verandas was a thing to remember.

Studying the Crowd.

"There doesn't seem to be any difference between a crowded train in the morning and a crowded train at night, does there?" queried a subway traveler of his companion. "But I could distinguish one from the other even if I had no idea of the hours."

"Ask the guard!"

"No. All you need to do is to measure the buzz of conversation. In the morning, when the crowd is fresh and on the way to business, the conversation is at least ten times in volume what it is at night, when the crowd is tired and on the way home. Oftentimes at night I've been in a crowded car for ten minutes without hearing a sound save the rattle of newspapers and an occasional cough. That same crowd in the morning would be full of dialogue, punctuated here and there with laughter.

"It's just a wee study in human nature, that's all."—New York Globe.

An Unsocial Pedant.

"At Trinity, Cambridge, the great Dr. Whewell was the incarnation of masterful unsociability," says Mr. Tollemache in his reminiscences. "A Trinity friend told me in the fifties that Whewell's evening parties went by the name of 'perpendiculars' because the undergraduates were expected to remain standing all the time, though he himself sat down whenever he chose. It is also related that, being shortsighted, he inspected each man in turn at unpleasantly close quarters, and it was a high crime for any one to speak until he was spoken to. On one occasion under the trying scrutiny an unwary freshman remarked that the weather was fine. 'Sir,' replied the pedant, 'are you not aware that if you have any communication to make to the master of your college you should make it through your tutor?'"

The Way He Felt About It.

While several young ladies were discussing novel plans for a church bazaar a new member of the committee proposed to have the pastor's photograph reproduced on pillow tops and "chance" them off. All the girls voiced their approval at once, but when the plan was suggested to the parson he objected.

"I really cannot consent," said he. "I've been sat on enough as it is."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Secondhand.

"Can't I go out into the back yard and play in the garden, mamma?"

"Certainly not, child. You must stay in and study your nature books."—Life.

Integrity without knowledge is weak and useless.—Paley.

DIVORCE IMPOSSIBLE.

Municipal Ownership and Politics Thoroughly Congenial.

Long Companionship Has Created a Bond Not to Be Broken—An Extravagant Pair.

The city of Boston has experimented with various phases of municipal ownership and is [illegible] [illegible] results [illegible]. Its [illegible] undertaking in this line was the establishment of a municipal printing office, which proved to be so expensive and so [illegible] that it is about to be abandoned. The attempt to operate such an establishment as a means of freeing the city of exorbitant [illegible] bidders on [illegible] work is admitted to be a dismal failure from every point of view.

Municipal ownership is a very beautiful theory in perspective, but in reality it falls so far short of what is promised by overzealous advocates that there is small prospect that it will ever make much substantial headway. Divorced from politics, it might possibly be made to serve as an acceptable substitute for the methods to which the people have become accustomed. But there is the rub. Experience has shown that they can be no more effectually separated than it is possible for human ingenuity to change the course of the heavenly bodies. No matter how high the ideal at the outset, politics is certain to creep in by degrees until eventually the enterprise thus established in good faith and for a well intended purpose becomes a hotbed of extravagance, mismanagement and scandal.

That has been the rule and result wherever the experiment has been tried; that will be the consequence wherever it may be undertaken hereafter. Whatever need of popularity it has attained as an alternative for existing forms of municipal government is doubtless due to the overanxiety of taxpayers to be relieved of pressing burdens, ignoring the sage advice that it "were better to bear the ills we have than flee to others we know not of."

To say that the government of cities is unnecessarily expensive and burdensome is but to repeat a truism that is on all hands admitted. New York, being the largest, is the most conspicuous offender. Only a few days ago the comptroller of that city showed how it had cost the people $7,000 for viewers and others concerned in condemnation proceedings relating to a piece of land valued at $75, and hundreds of similar instances are cited in proof of unbridled extravagance.

But the metropolis is by no means the sole offender. The trail of the serpent is over them all, each hoping to justify itself by precedent and in otherwise endeavoring to shift responsibility for a condition of affairs that is inexcusable.

Instead of enlarging the present scheme of municipal government the thing that is most urgently needed is simplification, which would, of course, mean retrenchment also. There is no exaggeration in saying that expenses could be reduced at least one-half and probably three-fourths without detriment to efficiency by the introduction of common sense business methods in the management of municipal affairs, but the way out of the dilemma is not through the discredited theory of ownership of public utilities, but through the medium of remedial legislation devised in a praiseworthy spirit of economical government, shorn of useless appendages which tend to thoughtless or reckless extravagance.—Lafayette (Ind.) Courier.

A Municipal Monopoly.

For some time there has been friction between the citizens and authorities of Wheeling, W. Va., because the former, in defiance of a city ordinance, prefer to buy natural gas at 15 cents for lighting purposes rather than pay 75 cents for gas manufactured by the city, which, they claim, is not worth the difference. At present there is a three cornered fight on. The citizens are trying to have the monopolistic ordinance rescinded, while the city has brought suit against consumers to restrain them from using natural gas except for heating purposes and against the natural gas company to prevent it from selling gas except for fuel.

In its answer the company has exploded a bombshell by declaring that during the last ten years it has sold 84,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas to the city gas works, where it was mixed with artificial gas and resold to consumers at 75 cents a thousand, although the city paid only 15 cents for it. Yet Wheeling used to be a show town for municipal ownership.

A Mayor's Creed.

There is a socialistic tendency going around the world, and it is so strong that all the backbone of city, state and national governments is required to combat it. I do not believe that the city should operate any utility that can be conducted as well or better by private individuals.—Mayor McClellan of New York.

A Frothy Failure.

An attempt to establish a municipal brewery in Berlin resulted in a dismal failure. It did plenty of business, but lost money.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

They Don't Care To.

The voters of Long Beach, Cal., recently defeated by a two-thirds majority a proposition to bond the city to acquire a waterworks system.

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Leave Sullivan Square Terminal for Winchester and Woburn at 7.32, 8.02, 8.32, 9.02, 9.32, 10.02 a. m., and then every 15 minutes until 10.32 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.02 a. m.

Leave Winthrop Square, Medford for Winchester and Woburn at 7.53 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.23 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 10.53 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.23 a. m.

Leave Winchester for Woburn at 8.09 a. m., then every 30 minutes until 10.39 a. m., then every 15 minutes until 11.09 p. m., then every 30 minutes until 12.39 a. m.

A. E. MYERS, Div. Supt.

Wakefield Division.

WAKEFIELD, STONEHAM, WINCHESTER AND ARLINGTON.

Beginning Monday, June 3rd, 1907, cars will leave Reading square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington as follows: 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Winchester and Arlington 5.20, 5.50, 6.05, 6.20, 6.50, 7.05 7.20, 7.50 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Arlington 5.40, 6.10, 6.25, 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester, Stoneham and Reading at 6.00, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, 7.30, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 6.20, 6.50, 7.05, 7.20, 7.50, 8.05, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham, for Reading 6.40, 7.10, 7.25, 7.40, 8.10, 8.25, 8.40, 9.10 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Leave Reading Square for Stoneham, Winchester and Arlington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 10.30 p. m.

Leave Stoneham square for Winchester and Arlington at 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.50 p. m.

Leave Winchester square for Arlington at 7.10, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10 a. m. and every 30 minutes until 11.10 p. m.

RETURNING.

Leave Arlington for Winchester Stoneham and Reading, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 11.30 p. m.

Leave Winchester for Stoneham and Reading at 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, a.m., and every 30 minutes until 11.50 p. m.

Leave Stoneham for Reading, 8.10, 9.10, 9.40, 10.10 a. m., and every 30 minuues until 11.40 p. m., then 12.10 a. m.

SUNDAY TIME.

Cars leave Reading square for Wilmington, Tewksbury and Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 10.15 p. m.

Returning leave Merrimack square, Lowell, for Reading, Lynn and Boston at 6.45, 7.15 a. m., and every 30 minutes until 9.45 p. m.

*Change at Stoneham.
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†7.15 P.M. Through train; Sleeper Boston to Montreal.
‡7.45 P.M. Through train; Sleeper Boston to Montreal.

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*7.30 P.M. Through train; Sleeper Boston to Montreal. Sleeper Montreal to Toronto and Chicago.

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FOR APRIL

Legal Notices.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Louisa H. Dupee, late of Winchester, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George A Dupee, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirtieth day of March, A.D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Winchester STAR, a newspaper published in Winchester, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, CHARLES J. MCINTIRE, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

mr12 ,12,19,26

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Calvin Robinson, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address)

CALVIN F. ROBINSON, Adm.

Winchester, Mass.

March 17, 1909

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Betsey Ann Bradbury, late of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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ANNE D. B. UNDERWOOD, Executrix.

Central Street, Winchester, Mass.

March 6, 1909

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SELECTMEN—Monday evenings.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE — First Friday evening of each month at the High school house.

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY—Fourth Friday of each month.

CEMETERY COMMISSION—First Saturday of each month at 4.30 p. m.

WATER AND SEWER BOARD—Monday evenings.

TREASURER — Wednesday afternoons from 12.30 to 5.30.

WATER REGISTRAR—Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 p. m.

COLLECTOR—Hours for collection every afternoon from 2.30 to 5 (except Saturday). Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.

FIRE ENGINEERS—Every Monday evening at Engine House.

BOARD OF HEALTH meets last Friday of each month at Town House.

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS—Office hours 8-9 a. m. and 4-5 p. m. on each school day; 7-8 p. m. on Thursday evenings during the school year at High school house.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Box 5. Wildwood St., opp. Woodside road.
7. Central Fire Station.
12. Mystic av. cor. Maxwell road.
13. Winchester Manufacturing Co.
14. Bacon street, opp. Lakeview road.
15. McKay. (Private.)
21. Main street, opp. Young & Brown's.
23. Main street, opp. Thompson street.
24. Mt. Vernon, cor. Washington street.
25. Main, cor. Mt. Pleasant street.
26. Main street, cor. Herrick avenue.
27. Main street at Symmes Corner.
28. Bacon's Mills. (Private.)
31. Swanton street, Hose house.
32. Forest street, cor. Highland avenue.
33. Washington street, cor. Cross street.
34. Cross street, opp. East street.
35. Swanton street, cor. Cedar street.
36. Washington street, cor. Eaton street.
37. Harvard street, cor. Florence street.
38. Oak street, cor. Holland street.
41. Lake street, cor. Main street.*
42. Beggs & Cobbs Tannery. (Private.)
43. Main street, cor. Salem street.
44. Main street, opp. Canal street.
45. Main street, opp. Sheridan circle.
48. Eastern Felt Mill, Canal street.
51. Cambridge street, opp. Pond street.
52. Central street, opp. Rangeley.
53. Bacon street, cor. Church street.
54. Wildwood street, cor. Fletcher street.
55. Dix, cor. Pine and Church streets.
56. Wildwood, cor. Cambridge street.
57. Church street, cor. Cambridge street.
58. Calumet road, cor. Oxford street.
61. Winthrop, near cor. Mason street.
62. Mt. Vernon, cor. Highland avenue.
63. Highland avenue, opp. Webster street.
64. Highland avenue, cor. Wilson street.
66. Highland avenue, cor. Herrick street.

Two blows dismisses the Department.
Two blows for Test at 7.30 p. m.
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Three blows, [illegible] fires.
Out of town signal [illegible] blows followed by box number nearest fire.
One round of box for brush fire.

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ARRIVAL OF MAILS

OPEN

Boston—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 2.30, 4.30, 7 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
Maine—7.30 a. m., 1.30, 4.30 p. m.
North—8.15 a. m., 12.30, 4.45 p. m.
Woburn—7.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.15 p. m.
Stoneham—8.25, 11.55 a.m., 5.45 p.m.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS

CLOSED

Boston—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m. 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
New York, West and South—7.30, 8.50, 9.50, 11.45 a. m., 12.50, 3, 5, 8 p. m.
North—8.20 a. m., 1, 6.1 p. m.
Maine—8.20 a. m., 12.50, 5.40 p. m.
Provinces—8.20 a. m., 5.40 p. m.
Woburn—7.35 a. m., 2, 5.40 p. m.
Stoneham—8.45 a. m., 1.35, 5.30 p. m.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Robert F. Whitney in his Buick is a familiar figure on the streets this spring, teaching prospective customers both ladies and gentlemen—how to operate the machine.

Mr. Lester T. Langley has given an order to Mr. Whitney during the past week for a 1909 Model 10 Runabout, which seems to be the popular size this season.

Mr. David A. Somes of Cabot street sailed on Wednesday for a few week's vacation in Bermuda.

Mr. J. Daniel Sharon and family left town this week to make their home in Pondville, Mass. Mr. Sharon is well known in town, having been a resident for a number of years.

Mr. and Mr. Charles F. Newell are the parents of a daughter, born Tuesday.

The Pop Concert by the Salem Cadet Band for the Hospital Aid will be held at the Town Hall, Winchester, as usual, Easter Monday, April 12. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. O. C. Sanborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Hildreth welcomed a little son to their home last Sunday.

The annual meeting of the Calumet club will be held at 6.30 o'clock on Saturday evening, April 3rd. At 7 o'clock the annual dinner of the club will be held.

Hon Samuel J. Elder will address the members of the Calumet club at a smoker this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Miller left town this week to occupy their cottage at Allerton.

Don't lock the stable door after it is too late. Buy a burglary policy now. George Adams Woods.

Mr. W. L. Tuck has an article in the warrant which will be acted upon at the adjourned town meeting Monday evening, "to see if the town will take further measures to abolish speedily the grade crossing" at the centre. Well, Mr. Tuck, it appears to be up to you. No doubt if you can hasten matters the people will be as much pleased as you will be.

Rev. Harry P. Rankin, a former pastor of the local Methodist church, who, after five years of unremitting work in relieving the Flint Street Church Somerville, from debt, has expressed a desire to enter a new field at the coming conference.

A handsome line of the noted Lamson pictures for Easter at Wilson the Stationer's.

Pauline Corey is home from Mt. Holyoke College for her spring vacation.

For strictly pure ice cream remember Covel.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Mr. A. W. Rooney has been passing a few days at Jaffrey, N. H. securing a most needed rest and change.

Mr. C. E. Barrett has been confined to his house by illness.

Mr. E. K. Jewett, of Calumet road, who was operated upon for appendicitis is rapidly convalescing.

It is thought that the B. N. will shortly commence the relaying of the car tracts on Washington street. At the same time the street men will rebuild the street.

Lots of grip and other sickness these days.

It was only a short time ago that people not feeling well went South in the winter. Now the role appears to be to seek the dry cool climate of the highlands of New Hampshire, which is reckoned as being more beneficial.

Rev. D. A. Newton was unable to occupy his pulpit last Sunday because of sickness, which also badly affected his eyes.

Frederick A. Newth has become a customer of the Edison Company for electric lights at 15 Park avenue.

Order your Sunday ice cream at Covel's.

Henry B. Sawyer has arranged with the Edison Co. for electric lighting service at his house, 11 Warren street.

The residence of Frank W. Jones, at 1 Eaton Court, is to be lighted by electricity from the service of the Edison Company.

Word has been received from Mrs. William I. Lawrance that she and her daughter Mary had a most enjoyable passage to Spain, with fair skies and smooth seas most of the way. They plan to pass a month in Spain, and then go by way of northern Africa and Sicily to Greece, for another prolonged visit.

The late George F. Angell, took his first step in Masonry in Mt. Horeb Lodge, Woburn.

Mrs. Mary Jennings, known to many Winchester people because of her having maintained an intelligence office in Woburn, died at her home in that city last Friday at the age of 78 years.

The Calumet Club has lots of good things in store for its members—entertainments, annual banquet, etc.

James McLaughlin, Burlington's new Selectman, has fitted into the duties in first class shape, and is making a thoroughly business board of the town fathers.

Something dainty and unique in Easter booklets, pictures and post cards at Wilson the Stationer's.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

The entire gravity supply from the North Reservoir is carried in a 12-inch pipe through a portion of Forest street to its junction with Washington. This pipe is of thin sheet iron covered with cement. It was laid thirty-six years ago, and has already been used for a period longer by several years, than the average life of cement-lined pipe. A break at any time would seriously affect a large portion of the town, and should the pipe give way, when the water was needed for fire purposes, large financial loss might follow. To properly safeguard our interest it is imperative, in the judgment of this Board, that the present pipe be replaced in 1909 by one of cast iron. (Extract from Report of Water Board.)

At the Lenten reception and recital at the Vendome, given by the Junior Charity Club April 1, the president, Mrs. Edgar M. Young, will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. George A. Hibbard, wife of Mayor Hibbard. Among the pourers will be Mrs. Irving Palmer, Mrs. J. F. Bunting and Mrs. O. C. Sanborn.

During the past few weeks automobiles have left tracks six inches deep in the mud on the unfinished portion of Highland avenue from Hillcrest to Forest street. It is an unexpected trap.

Are you prepared to profit by the growth of Winchester during the next five or ten years? Better let me sell you a lot, home, or piece of business property. George Adams Woods.

On Tuesday evening there is to be a costume party at the Calumet Club in observance of the ladies' night for this month. The announcement that the evening would be a masquerade party was not correct.

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The smoke from the midnight fire at Woburn last Saturday was blown directly across the town, being strongly noticeable and causing many to arise and investigate their own property.

Last Friday noon the fire department was called out for a fire in the woods on Andrews Hill.

President Tuttle of the B. & M. has again stated his belief that the best solution of the suburban problems or the railroad companies is to abandon the suburban business to street railway and interurban lines. Winchester would not, it is needless to state, stand for the abandonment of the train service.

The plumbing and heating firm of Shaw & Campbell, who have been conducting a prosperous and growing business in Woburn for the past 9 years, have opened a branch office at 6 Thompson street, Winchester, and Benjamin Edwards, who, for the past 9 years has been a resident of Winchester, and engaged in the plumbing and heating business as a journeyman, will have charge of the Winchester Branch.

Messrs. Kelley & Hawes Co's new brick fire-proof storage building on Park street is finished and is ready for the storage of furniture and valuables. This is the best equipped and safest storage building in this section and patrons are assured that their goods will receive the best of care and attention. s25,tf

Parents and pupils who live on the West side of the town will be glad to know that hereafter the "No-school signal," if given at all, will be sounded by the whistle of the Bacon Felt Co's establishment as well as by the Fire Alarm bell and the whistle at Beggs and Cobb's Tannery. This arrangement has been made by the courtesy of the Bacon Felt Co., and will doubtless enable everyone in town to know when the schools will not be in session.

Miss Hazel Corey is home after several weeks stay in Northboro.

Strictly pure Homemade Candy at Covel's made fresh every day.

The several fire alarms in town during the week were all due to brush fires with one exception, Box 35 on Wednesday forenoon, which was for the house located at the corner of Cedar and Swanton streets, occupied by Eugene Flaherty. The damage was slight about $50, and the cause has not yet been ascertained.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Brookline is another town that is too wise to listen to the blandishments of a municipalty operated electric light plant. This and many other towns have evidently profitted from the experience of other places who are worrying over expenses.

Salaries for town officers of Natick take $5954; in Winchester, $4200. The former's tax rate is over $20, while Winchester is $17.40. There is a reason for the higher rate—perhaps it is politics.

Samuel J. Elder, Esq., was one of the honorary pall bearers at the funeral of the late George T. Angell at Boston last Saturday.

The welcome opening of the Lebanon street spring, is attested by the large number of people seen about the outlet daily filling jars and pitchers with the water.

Scientific scalp treatment at Mrs. Doherty's, Rooms 8 and 9 Post Office Building, Woburn, Mass. Tel. 322-3.

Mrs. Gutierrez is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Shattuck, Mt. Vernon street.

The Winchester fire steamer was sent out late Wednesday afternoon to assist the Stoneham fire department when the Methodist Episcopal Church in that town was on fire. The blaze is said to have been caused by a defective electric light wire. Assistance was also called from Wakefield and Reading. The church was only partially burned, the damage being estimated in the vicinity of $15,000. The Winchester department put a siamese coupling on its steamer and did good work, although only needed for a short period.

A number of the operators at the local telephone exchange have been out on account of sickness. Miss Grace T. Davis and Robert F. Parker, who have been sick with the grip, returned to their duties this week, while Miss Rachel I. Kimball, Miss Olga M. Everson, Miss Mary C. Quigley and Miss Irene M. Wright have been given leave of absence on account of their health. Miss Josephine L. Hargrove of the Medford exchange is substituting at Winchester.

Through the office of Sewall E. Newman Mr. Theodore C. Hurd has leased for a term of years No. 38 Rangely. Mr. Hurd will occupy some time during May, after improvements have been made.

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